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Two barrels of JEYES' PERFECT PURIFIER—the only perfect household disinfectant, just received at CAMPBELL'S PRESCRIPTION STORE, cor. Fort and Douglas Sts. In quantities to suit.

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We have decided to clear out all our stock of Crockery and Glassware

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CHAMBER SETS,
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Messrs. OGILVIE MILLING CO., Winnipeg, Man.:
Gentlemen:—Having used your Hungarian Patent Flour for a considerable period of time, I must say it gives entire satisfaction, both for quantity and quality of Bread, Cakes and Pastry, and can strongly recommend it for use for the trade and families.
Wishing you every success, I remain, yours respectfully,
(Sd) JOHN J. WILSON,
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G. M. LEISHMAN, VICTORIA, AGENT FOR B. C.
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SPECIALTIES FOR THIS WEEK:

Tan Boots and Shoes at Big Reductions

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Delivered to any part of the city

Wheat	$1 25 per hun.	Oats	$1.50 per hun.
Bran	0 90 "	Mixed Feed	1.00 "
Shorts	1 00 "	Ground	1.10 "

Our Feed is manufactured fresh every day, and is superior to the imported article. Patronize home industry by using our goods. Terms—Net cash with order. au15

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THE PUREST AND BEST

Made from pure, fresh, unskimmed Jersey milk and specially refined Demerara crystals.

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FOR SALE,
WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.

A new residence facing the Victoria Arm, 200 feet water frontage, unsurpassed view of the City of Victoria and Olympian range in the back ground; entrance from the Gorge Road; two-and-a-half acres of land; house containing panelled vestibule, beautifully frescoed hall, handsome staircase, double drawing room with two fireplaces, diningroom, smoking room, six bedrooms, bath room, W. C. and lavatory on each floor, large attic, spacious cellar with stone walls, brick foundation, electric light, electric bells, etc., etc.
Price, $10,500. Terms can be arranged to suit the purchaser. Apply to
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P.O. Box 352.
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PUBLIC NOTICE.

The undersigned will make loans from $1 to $1,000 on any approved security.
VICTORIA LOAN OFFICE,
133 Government Street,
private entrance on Pandora Street. oc1s

For Sale---New Schooner,

Ready to be launched; on stocks at Port Townsend; about 60 tons nett measurement; strongly built; would make first-class sealer. Will be sold at auction at 10 o'clock a.m., at County Court House, Port Townsend, Wash., on 5th day of September, 1894. Terms cash.
By order of Superior Court of Jefferson County.
JOHN BARNESON,
aug 3w Receiver.

NOTICE.

During my absence from the Province Mr. Thomas Robert Smith, of Temple Building, Fort Street, Victoria, will hold my Power of Attorney, with full authority to deal with my personal affairs.
ROBERT WARD.
Victoria, B.C., August 24th, 1894. au25-2w

MATERNITY (ate Samaritan) Home, removed to larger premises, at 199 John son street. Applicants please apply at the Home, or to Mrs. Higgins, Cadboro Bay Road, or to Mrs. Flumerfelt, Gorge Road. fe10

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—Cast-off clothing, immediately; good prices. Mrs. Knight, 60½ Johnson street. au28-2t

WANTED—A situation by a young man with a year or two's experience in baking business. Apply at 299 Johnson street au28-2t

WANTED—About 1st October, a first-class house, pleasantly situate; close to town; 7 good rooms and modern conveniences; rent about $25. Apply B.C.M., Colonist office. au28 3t

TO LET—Two nicely furnished front rooms, with fire place, at 83 Chatham St. au28-1t

FOR SALE—Furniture, bar fixtures and stock of the Leland House; rent $35 a month. Apply at the Leland. au28 1t

FOR SALE—Horse, harness, cart and cover; will be sold cheap. 38 Vancouver street. au28-3t

FOR SALE—Mastiff-St. Bernard dog; good watch dog. Apply Colonist office. au28 2t

PARTIES buying cloth at the auction sale to-day can have it made up in suits from $10 up, pants $2.50, at Thomas & Grant's, 61 Broad street; fit and workmanship guaranteed; only white labor employed. au28-1t

WHAT'S the use being hot-headed or short sighted and unstrawed when you can get a $1.25 straw hat for 50 cents? Cameron, 55 Johnson street. au28-1t

THE postponed sale of horses at North Dairy Farm will be held in the City Market and sold on Friday next. au28-1t

PROF. OLIVER will give a social dance at his Academy on Tuesday evening, August 28th; good music will be in attendance au28-1t

LOST—A bunch of keys, probably on Saanich Road. The finder will please return to Colonist office. au28

LOST—A fish basket containing bathing clothes, between Hotel Dallas and Spring Ridge. Finder will oblige by returning to the Colonist office. au28-2t

STRAY BULL—Came to Lockend Dairy Farm, Burnside, a mouse-colored bull with white face. If not claimed and expenses paid on or before September 1st, 1894, it will be sold to pay expenses. Evans & Hobbs. au24-10t

CURLING IRONS AND HEATERS
—AT—
COCHRANE & MUNN,
Prescription Druggists,
Cor. Yates and Douglas Streets.

NOTICE.

B.C. Pioneer Society.

All members will please meet at Pioneer Hall TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY) at 8:30 a.m., to attend the funeral of our late brother, W. R. Clarke.
A. GRAHAM,
au28-1t President.

SOCIETIES, ATTENTION.

The Secretaries of the various Societies in the city are requested to send in the names of their delegates for the Societies Committee in connection with the Celebration during the approaching Exhibition of the Agricultural Association, to
BEAUMONT BOGGS,
au28-1t General Secretary.

JOSHUA DAVIES,
AUCTIONEER,
has received instructions to sell by
PUBLIC AUCTION
on the premises,
75 WHARF STREET,
—ON—
Friday, August 31st, at 11 o clock,
WITHOUT RESERVE,
The following balances of Tea, Peels, Pilot Bread, Apples, Eggs, Onions and Crockery, also Safe, Scales, Trucks and Office Fixtures.
Terms cash.
JOSHUA DAVIES,
au28-td Auctioneer.

BRITISH COLUMBIA BOARD OF TRADE

NOTICE TO MEMBERS.

The following telegram was received last evening:

TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 27, 1894.
President B C. Board of Trade, Victoria, B.C.:
"We extend to yourself and all members of "your organization an invitation to be present "at 10 o'clock a.m., August 29th, to participate "in the opening of the Northwest Inter State "Fair. Advise me your number and when "they will arrive, and carriages will be in "waiting to take you to the Fair Grounds.
"G. L. HOLMES,
"President Chamber of Commerce."

Members accepting the invitation will please notify the undersigned before 12 noon to-day. It will be necessary to leave by the steamer "Kingston" this evening.
F. ELWORTHY,
au28-1t Secretary.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

Tenders will be received on or before 5 p.m. Friday, 31st inst., for the erection and completion of a Residence on Delta Street.
Plans and specifications can be seen at my office.
Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
THOMAS HOOPER,
au28-td Architect.

EXCURSION
—TO—
SAN JUAN ISLAND
ON SATURDAY, 1ST SEPT.
In aid of St. John's Church. Steamer will leave Turner's Wharf at 1 o'clock:
Tickets for the round trip, 75 cents; children under 12, 25 cents. au28 td

MILITARY MOVEMENTS.

Chinese and Japanese Continuing to Move Towards the Front.

Reported Chinese Victory Ascribed to a Desire to Influence the Market.

LONDON, Aug. 27.—Central News advices from Shanghai state that General Yula, military governor of the province of Shin King, is reported to have been appointed high commissioner of the north and governor-general to assist Viceroy Li Yun, formerly a Chinese resident in Korea, who has been given command of the Chinese forces and will at once proceed to the seat of war. A hundred or more Japanese left Shanghai for their native country, and the United States consul is using his utmost endeavors to persuade those remaining to depart.

The consul fears their presence may cause complaints and endanger the safety of the city. The Chinese fleet left Port Arthur for Wei-Hai-Wei on the 22nd instant. Captain von Hanaacken, formerly aide on the staff of Viceroy Li Hung Chang, has been appointed assistant to Admiral Ting, commander of the Chinese fleet. Six thousand Japanese troops landed at Chemulpo on the 22nd inst.

Dispatches received by the Chinese legation up to noon contained no mention of the Chinese victory at Ping Yang. At the Japanese legation the officials say the report of such a victory was circulated probably by the Peking government to facilitate the war loan.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—Yee Sang Soo, Korea's minister to the United States, has arrived in this city, en route to Seoul from Washington. On his journey overland he by mistake entered the drawing room of the Pullman car, which had been secured by a mining man, and, being ill, lay dawn on a lounge in the compartment. On the train starting the mining man entered the drawing room, and on seeing, as he supposed, a Chinaman reclining on the lounge, told him to get out. Yee Sang Soo did not understand English and did not stir. The man then grabbed him by the neck and threw him out on the platform. Yee Sang Soo shouted lustily, and on the appearance of his secretary, who had missed his master, he was assisted to the proper car.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Convention of the Supreme Grand Lodge at Washington—A Two Weeks' Session.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—The biennial convention of the Supreme Lodge of the Knights of Pythias of the world, and the biennial encampment of the Uniform Rank, opened here to-day. For the next two week the Knights will be in session. There are some 500 delegates present. Supreme Chancellor Blackwell and the retiring supreme officials arrived yesterday and this morning. The sessions will be held in Marcini's hall, the birthplace of the order in February, 1864. For months a reception committee has been making preparations for the event, and the lodges of the Uniform Rank will camp, in accordance with a vote of congress, on thirty acres of the Mall forming a square around the Washington monument.

The leading features of the encampment are the sessions of the Supreme Lodge, the street parade and review of the uniform rank by President Cleveland and members of the Cabinet, a dress parade on the White House grounds, a competitive drill between forty-five infantry and cavalry divisions of the uniform rank, and a reception and ball. The order of Pythian Sisters of the World and the Pythian Sisterhood, an organization of seceders from the parent organization, will also be in session for two weeks. The strength of the Pythian order as corrected to June 1 is 443,615; gain during the year, 29,671; increase in number of lodges, 34. The citizens have made a generous display of national bunting in honor of the visitors, while flags and streamers with the well-known insignia of the order and of the uniform rank may be counted by the thousands.

THE EZETA AFFAIR.

Evidence Sent From San Salvador to Be Investigated to See Whether It Will Justify a Trial.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—Charles Page is a lawyer who has had a good deal of experience in South and Central America. When questioned respecting the probability of Antonio Ezeta's being released, he declined to give a definite opinion without knowing more of the actual evidence to be submitted. "Of course, political action would not come under the extradition treaty. That is a fact that everyone is presumed to know," observed the lawyer. "The whole question of how far the acts of which Exeta is accused have been political or not will naturally be determined according to the laws and usages of San Salvador, and not of this country. They have ways down there that might seem pretty questionable here. Evidence sent from San Salvador will be investigated to see whether it will justify a trial. Ezeta would then be allowed to show, if he could, that there was no evidence to justify the court in holding him, or to introduce evidence from San Salvador to clear himself.

These matters would be passed upon by Judge Morrow, and if he thought the evidence sufficient to constitute a crime not connected with politics in any way he would order the refugees to be turned over to the department of state. Then the President himself and the Secretary of State would look into the evidence and finally determine whether, under the treaty, the refugees had to be given up. The fact is, though, that in the present condition of San Salvador it may be pretty safely laid down that almost every killing has a political object, or is the result of political action rather than of private animosity.

"Things take place in a country where civil war is raging that would horrify people in time of peace. There were deeds committed during the war between the North and the South that seem terrible to-day. I was a boy at the time, but I remember people coming home to die who had been starved in prison. Well, in San Salvador they use knives and dirks, but whether a man comes home starved or wounded to death his relatives are just as ready to denounce the other side."

Next Monday, Labor day, will be a national holiday, and the Ezeta case will not come up for trial until Tuesday. Ezeta has employed Charles Page, of Page & Eclist, to assist attorneys Rubens & Quizeda, who are preparing a strong case for their client. Among the witnesses will be officers from the Bennington, who, it is said, will testify in favor of the refugees. The testimony, in the form of depositions, is voluminous.

BLUEFIELDS ADVICES.

Details as to the Policy of the Administration Towards Nicaragua.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Advices from Bluefields say the Nicaraguan troops returning from Bluefields have reached Greytown, bringing eight foreigners as prisoners. A British warship arrived at Greytown yesterday evening.

The Tribune's Washington special says: Definite information regarding the Nicaraguan policy of the administration was received from an official source yesterday by a representative of the Tribune. Briefly expressed, the recognition of the complete sovereignty of Nicaragua in the Mosquito reserve is the policy which has been agreed upon. Neither Chief Clarence nor his successors in any event is regarded as having any authority or rights separate from or independent of national control. Nicaragua is considered the only treaty power in the strip and the sole source of government there. With her only relations concerning American interests in the reservation are to be had, and Clarence and his advisers are to be rated as purely local authorities, subordinate to and constantly under the restriction of Nicaragua in all matters. For acts of omission or commission with respect to Americans and their interests in the strip Nicaragua is to be held responsible, contracts and concessions now in force with Americans in the reservation are to be upheld, and the national government is expected to restrict the same and to take such steps as may be necessary to their maintenance. To the greatest extent consistent with international courtesy Nicaragua is to be urged to sanction by law or proclamation the freedom of religion which now obtains in the reservation.

CAR ACCIDENT.

An Electric Funeral Tram Car Becomes Uncontrollable and Causes Serious Injury.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug 27.—About noon to-day, while the funeral car San Meteo, on the electric road, was returning from the funeral of Mrs. Mellor, wife of Joe Mellor, conductor of that road, at Cypress Lawn cemetery, and was going down the steep grade at Chenery street hill the brakes refused to hold. The funeral car was in charge of electrician Sutcliffe, and instead of reversing the lever so as to check the momentum of the car he became excited, and the car continued down the hill with increasing speed towards the turn at 30th street. Some of the passengers preserved their coolness, and appreciating the danger the women passengers were in, cried out, "Don't jump." In the general excitement which followed, however, the warning was unheeded, and before anyone could prevent it the women had crowded to the rear end of the car, completely blocking the passenger way leading to the platform. The men were unable to offer any assistance to the excited women, and, in consequence, some of the more venturesome jumped off the car. Several persons were very seriously hurt. The scene where the accident occurred has always been a source of great danger, and has on former occasions been attended with actual loss of life. All of the passengers who jumped from the car struck heavily on the ground and rolled over and over again toward the rails.

CAREER OF AN ADVENTURESS.

A Confidence Woman Now Under Arrest in Connecticut.

HARTFORD, Conn., Aug. 27.—Mrs. Robbins, a confidence woman under arrest here, is said to be in league with her husband in schemes to defraud college students. Among her victims were many from the Pacific coast. Mrs. Robbins was a lecturer. During a tour she happened to be in Boston at the time of the great fire in 1893. Here she distinguished herself by her intrepid bravery, doing great work for the sick and wounded and the rescue of victims.

In 1876 she married A. H. Clayton, an English Episcopal clergyman, who never did anything, but allowed her support him. Later they were divorced, and as Kate Homer Clayton she went to the Pacific Coast. In 1884 she met Edward Robbins Howe, and they married. Soon after their marriage Howe was appointed a commissioner to the World's Exposition at New Orleans from the State of California, and the honeymoon was spent in that city.

The exposition over, the pair drifted to Boston, where they joined Modjeska's company and played an engagement in that city, fleecing all the Harvard men they could. The stage business was too tame for them, and they soon left it and began a roaming career about the country. They appeared in many cities of the West in various public entertainments.

MONSTER MASTODON.

A Skeleton Discovered Near Dunkirk, New York.

DUNKIRK, N. Y., Aug. 27.—Workmen were digging ditches in marshy ground near Sheridan, three miles from here, yesterday, when they came upon the skeleton of a mastodon eighteen inches below the surface. Only the head has yet been laid bare. The skull and all the parts uncovered are in an excellent state of preservation. The skull measures five feet six inches across. A tusk uncovered is five feet long and six inches in diameter at the butt. One of the teeth, which is polished, weighs four pounds.

My feet were so badly swollen that I could not wear my shoes. I got Yellow Oil, and to my astonishment it gave me instant relief, and two bottles completely cured me. Mrs. W. G. McKay, Berwick, Ont.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Appointed Deputy Collector of Inland Revenue for Victoria Division.

A. W. Ross Reported to Have Resigned His Seat For Lisgar.

(From our own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Aug. 27.—Daniel Sullivan has been appointed Deputy Collecter of Inland Revenue for the Victoria division, vice Williams, retired on account of ill-health.

A special dispatch from Winnipeg states that A. W. Ross, M P. for Lisgar, has resigned his seat, but no information confirmatory or otherwise of this dispatch can be obtained here. Mr. Ross is now en route to Ottawa.

WILL BECOME LAW.

The U. S. Tariff Will Be Carried Into Effect Without the President's Signature.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 27.—The fact that Secretary Carlisle this morning sent out telegraphic instructions to collectors of customs directing them what to do in regard to putting the new tariff bill into effect is looked upon in official circles here as conclusive evidence that the President will not veto the bill. Commissioner Miller of the internal revenue bureau has sent out instructions to collectors of internal revenue at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The consensus of opinion is still that the bill will become law without President Cleveland's signature and by the operation of the time limitation at midnight to-night, Monday, August 27. Secretary Carlisle this morning decided that goods now in bond will be entitled to the privileges of the free list of the new tariff act.

WONDERFUL VERDICT.

The Finding of the Jury in the Franklin Mine Disaster.

SEATTLE, Aug. 27.—The following is the verdict arrived at by the jury in the Franklin mine disaster:

"We, the undersigned jurors, do agree that on the 24th day of August, 1894, on the sixth level of the Franklin mine at Franklin, King county, Wn., the following parties, namely—here followed the names of the 37 victims—came to their death by suffocation caused by smoke emanating from a fire in breast No. 62 on the north side of the sixth level, said fire having been caused by a party or parties unknown to us, and that said party or parties did wilfully, knowingly and maliciously cause said fire with intent and purpose to do great injury and damage to the lives and to the property of the Oregon Improvement Company."

HIDDEN TREASURE.

Organization of a Company to Explore a Recently Discovered Cave.

LAMPAZOS, Mexico, Aug. 27.—A company has been organized here and permission has been obtained from the state government to explore the cave recently discovered south of here for hidden treasure. According to documentary evidence, brought to light a few months ago, about $500,000 in gold is secreted in the cave, having been placed there by a bandit chief nearly a century ago. Seven men have already lost their lives from fire damp within the past few months while attempting to search the cave for treasure. The new company will go prepared to overceme all such obstacles.

BUSH FIRES.

Considerable Destruction Reported From Various Parts of Ontario.

TORONTO, Aug 27.—(Special)—Disastrous bush fires are raging in many parts of the province. In the western section bush, swamp and fields are burning and nothing but a heavy rain can possibly prevent a serious catastrophe. There is no wind and the smoke hangs over the country like a pall. The pastures are dried from the excessive drought and much damage is already reported. Bush fires are raging in the township of Crosby, county of Leeds. There is no sign of abatement, and only heavy showers will check the flames.

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

Indian Suicide—New C. P. R. Time Card—General Herbert Coming West.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 27.—(Special)—Frank Hayward, an Indian, committed suicide at Treherne to-day by shooting himself.

Charles Hansen has been sentenced to five years at Stoney Mountain for theft.

A new C. P. R. time card takes effect on Sunday night next.

General Herbert is expected to visit Winnipeg next month.

Cinnamon a Microbe Killer.

No living germ of disease can resist the antiseptic power of essence of cinnamon for more than a few hours is the conclusion announced by M. Chamberland as the result of prolonged research and experiment in M. Pasteur's laboratory. It is said to destroy microbes as effectively if not as rapidly as corrosive sublimate. Even the scent of it is fatal to microbes and M Chamberland says a decoction of Cinnamon should be taken freely by persons living in places affected by typhoid or cholera.

Tired, Weak, Nervous,

Means impure blood, and overwork or too much strain on brain and body. The only way to cure is to feed the nerves on pure blood. Thousands of people certify that the best blood purifier, the best nerve tonic and strength builder is Hood's Sarsaparilla. What it has done for others it will also do for you—Hood's Cures.

Hood's Pills cure constipation by restoring peristaltic action of the alimentary canal.

Salmon Lines and Spoons at Fox's, 78 Government street. *

Easy cutting and no crumbs, when using Christy Bread and Cake Knives. For sale at Fox's, 78 Government street. *

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

A Chilliwacker Held Prisoner by Burglars Till They Blow a Bank Safe.

Drowned in the Cowichan—Swansea Smelters Buying Kootenay Ore—Sockeye Canning Finished.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER, Aug. 27.—A resolution suggested by Mr. Withrow, of Pittsburg, that the council submit a by-law to the people asking them to grant five per cent. on a million dollars invested in the prospective steel works in this city, was knocked out to-night by a resolution of Ald. William Brown, in amendment, that the council wait until Mr. Withrow submits a business proposition. The vote stood 5 to 4.

The council has refused to exempt volunteers from polltax.

W. H. Steves was held up on the North Arm road by highwaymen and robbed of $10. The men blackened their faces. Mr. Steves told the men that his gold watch had his name on it, and they handed it back.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Aug. 27.—James B. Montgomery, foreman of the Brunette Saw Mills, disappeared yesterday and his friends are very anxious. He had been ill for some time.

The tax sale has been postponed till Wednesday. Nearly all the delinquents have paid up.

No one appears able to account for the action of the Dominion Government in ignoring the dispatches sent by G. E. Corbould, M.P., and the Board of Trade regarding the extension of the Sockeye fishing season. So far they have not even deigned to reply one way or the other, and of course the Sockeye fishing is over for 1894, and the canneries are all shut down. The first spring nets were put out last night and the catches were fairly good. White salmon are running freely.

At Chilliwack, the safe in the Yorkshire bank was blown open last night by burglars who have escaped so far. The burglars, three in number, were hard at work when a villager, attracted by the light inside, crossed over to see what was going on. The robbers nabbed him and, with a brace of revolvers at his breast, promised to kill him if he attempted to give an alarm. He was kept a prisoner in the bank while the burglars bored through the heavy door of the safe. The hole being filled with powder with a fuse attached and ignited, the burglars and villager went outside to wait results. The explosion was terrific and of much greater force than the burglars intended. The massive door, weighing 600 pounds, was torn clear off its hinges and shot through the front of the building upon the street. The whole structure was badly wrecked. The robbers dashed inside to secure the large sum of money in the safe, but found to their disappointment that the explosion had jammed the inside door in such a manner that it could not be opened without another resort to explosives. It was too late for this, as the villagers, awakened by the report, were crowding on the street to investigate the occurrence. The foiled burglars, to save themselves, entered their vehicle at once and drove off at a gallop in the direction of the boundary line. After proceeding a short distance they stopped and chopped down a telegraph pole and cut the wires. This they repeated at intervals all the way to Sumas. A posse went out at once, but at a late hour this afternoon the burglars were still at large.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, Aug. 27.—The U.S. survey steamer Hassler was here from Southern Alaskan waters this morning. She had on board a survey party who have been making an exploration of the Chilcat country. The Hassler arrived at Pyramid Harbor on May 16, and the survey party at once commenced operations. The party first started up the Chilcat river in canoes, taking three days to reach the Takiena river, a point ten miles from the mouth of the Chilcat. The Takiena river runs across the Utns valley. The party remained there six weeks. The second week in July the camp moved up another ten miles where a stay of five weeks was made. A thorough topographical survey of the surrounding country was made, working as far as Klinkelet, an Indian village of the Chilcats, 28 miles from the mouth; also up the Klinkelet river into the Chilcat Lakes country. In this section it is too wet and cold for cultivation. Pemmican, salmon and bear meat are the principal food for the natives. The Chilcat Indians are preparing for an immense potlach to be held in the middle of September, when $15,000 will be expended. The Indians are very industrious and quiet, but hostile to the whites.

The Hassler passed the steamer Queen ashore on Cormorant island on her way down. The steamer refused assistance.

The only particulars regarding the Queen gathered from the U. S. Hassler were that she had struck on a rock, has a hole in her bottom, but the captain refused assistance saying he would wait the arrival of the Topeka. The accident occurred during a dense fog.

[A gentleman who is well acquainted with Captain Carroll, said in regard to his refusal to send any message: "That is just like Captain Carroll. He is one of the best fellows in the world so long as things are going smoothly, but let him get into a scrape like this one and he is the most difficult man alive to deal with. He can do pretty much as he likes anyhow, as in connection with the Pacific coast steamship company he is more master than servant. Captain Carroll is, by no means dependent on his salary as captain as he has enormous mining interests in Alaska and elsewhere, and some time ago offered to buy Alaska from the United States government for $14,000,000, and he could have commanded the money, too, if there had been any possibility of his offer being considered.]

Arrived—Steamer Wellington; ships Elwell, Rufus E. Wood.

Sailed—Ship Wachusett, steamer Empire.

Fred Moore, J. W. Fisher, P. Rogers, E. Legg and Geo. White, Victorians, who are connected with the Chemical works of that city, have arrived from Texada island, where they have been to examine the copper pyrites for the requirements of the Chemical works. They are well satisfied with the result of the trip. The quality is all o.k.; it is only a question of quantity.

DUNCAN.

DUNCAN, Aug. 26.—Adam Duncanson was drowned yesterday afternoon whilst bathing in the Cowichan river, near the railway bridge. The body was recovered from a deep hole after an immersion of some four or five minutes, but life was extinct, and diligent efforts to restore animation under the direction of Dr. Davie and others proved unavailing. Deceased was a logger and about 24 years of age, well known and respected in the district, where he has been living for the last five years. Under the circumstances a coroner's inquest is deemed unnecessary.

Dr. Redman and party returned on the Lakeside hotel stage from Cowichan lake yesterday, after a visit of several days spent in fishing and boating around the lake.

Mr. Donald McPherson and Mr Cathcart (Messrs. W & J. Wilson), returned on Friday from a fishing trip on the river at Sahtlam, making one of the best takes of trout this season. Several fish scaled over four and one over five pounds

Mrs. Milman Watson and Mrs. S. Aspland arrived at McPherson's from Victoria on Saturday afternoon's train.

Mr. J. W. Edgson shot and killed a male panther on Maple Bay mountain last week, and severely wounded a second one, breaking the jaw and a foreleg.

The weather continues dry and hot, the thermometer daily registering 80° or over in the shade.

REVELSTOKE.

(From the Kootenay Mail.)

H. Pollew Harvey, who recently returned from England, has been commissioned by the owners of a Swansea smelter to purchase ore for them, and has already secured several hundred tons.

The quartz claims on Carne's creek so far located are all contact veins, and are remarkable for their width. None of the assays so far made exceed $22 in gold per ton. The ore bodies are very large. There is every reason to believe that the Carne creek placers are equally as rich as those on French and McCulloch creeks.

Some magnificent specimens of gold-bearing pyrites were sent to Mr. Holdich for an assay from Trout creek. The lead is of immense size. The assay gives $200 to the ton.

Twelve miners from Nova Scotia went down on the steamer Lytton on Tuesday to work three claims near Nelson purchased by Eastern capitalists last spring.

A strong mining company was formed in Revelstoke last spring. The company has recently recorded three claims on Carne's creek, located by John Boyd. It is proposed to prosecute works on the claims with all speed, and there is little doubt that these properties will be ranked among the dividend payers at no distant date.

A correspondent writing from Thompson says: N. T. Edwards, who has been doing development work on the Snowshoe mine, while working on the Snowshoe struck a lead of gold-bearing quartz four feet wide, carrying $110 to the ton. Lardeau creek is lined with men looking for quartz and placer ground, and considerable quantities of yellow dust are being taken out. Joe Bisette, Dan Savoy and partners have flumed the creek above the canyon, and got ten dollars in one pan of dirt the other evening. Another party reports finding on Pete Walker's claim, the True Fissure, a vein of gold-bearing quartz forty feet wide. There are hundreds of tons of it lying loose.

While Mr. Ferguson was digging potatoes on his ranch at St. David's, he found three small nuggets.

MIDWAY.

(From the Advance.)

There was a good clean-up on the Cariboo mine, Camp McKinney, last week.

John Thornton has completed five hundred feet of wing dam on Boundary creek.

The latest assay of unpicked ore taken from the Stemwinder shaft, at a depth of 25 feet, ran $130.40 in gold.

Eighty tons of concentrates from Camp McKinney are being shipped to Tacoma via Penticton.

Geo. Rumberger has made a new location east of Knob hill. The surface showing is big.

Mr. King of the Cariboo mining company, is arranging to work the hydraulic claim on Rock creek.

Mr. Atwood is prospecting the Oro for Mr. James Douglas, and the surface cuts disclose what may turn out to be a very fine vein of ore.

Mr. Schofield, who is doing assessment work on the Number Seven, in Atwood's camp, is taking out good ore near the old shaft. The ore is galena carrying gold and silver.

On the summit of Boundary mountain, a mile and a half north of the old Dewdney trail, between the Skylark and White's camp, Mr. W. T. Smith has a promising claim called the Lookout. The ledge, three feet in width, carries free gold on the surface, which turns into sulphurets deeper down.

The fire on the east of Boundary creek having crossed Norwegian gulch and burned over the country between the two creeks, is liable to run into the timber to the north.

The through wagon road over Boundary mountain is finished within a quarter of a mile of the Helen and Capital Prize, the two comparatively recent strikes which were bonded by Mr. Sudam. The ledge has been exposed on the surface for 1,300 feet. The Helen is owned by Symonds and Wallace and the Capital Prize by Humphrey and Lind.

The project is entertained to erect a smelting plant on the Columbia river, somewhere north of Newport, on the Canadian side of the line, where the ore of the Nelson, Slocan, Trail creek and Boundary creek districts could be handled together.

KAMLOOPS.

(From the Kamloops Sentinel.)

Mrs. Howse was driving to lower Nicola last week, accompanied by Mrs. Askew, of Victoria, when the harness broke and the horse ran down the side of the river, crossing bridges and turning bends in a marvellous manner. Mrs. Howse succeeded in holding the horse until he stopped. Freddie Howse, who was riding on horseback, was able to hold the horse until the two ladies got out.

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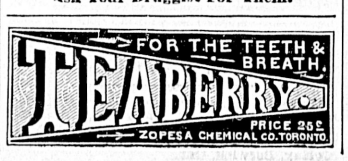

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The sale will be en bloc. Particulars of the stock to be had on application to H. A. Gordon, on the premises, where same can be inspected.

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H. F. CLINTON,
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Notice to Bridge Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS, properly endorsed, will be received by the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of Thursday, 13th September next, for the construction of a bridge across the Thompson River at Ashcroft.

The total length of the bridge will be 660 feet, in which there will be two Pratt Truss Combination Spans of 200 feet each.

Plans and specifications can be seen, and forms for tender and agreement to execute a bond obtained, at the office of the undersigned.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque for a sum equal to five per cent. of the amount of the tender, made payable to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works. In the event of a contract being let the cheque will be retained as part security for the due performance of the work. The cheque will be returned to unsuccessful competitors, but will be forfeited by any bidder who may decline to execute a contract if called upon to do so.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 22nd August, 1894. au24-td

NOTICE.

A COURT OF ASSIZE and Nisi Prius, and of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery, will be held under the provisions of the "Supreme Court Act," as amended by the "Supreme Court Amendment Act, 1891," at the Town of Richfield, on Monday, the tenth day of September, proximo, in lieu of the Court of Assize appointed by the said Act to be held at the said town on the 21th day of September, 1894.

By command,
JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
22nd August, 1894. au25-td

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CABLE ITEMS.

Germany's Finance Minister and Chancellor Have A Little Misunderstanding.

Terrible Storm on the Volga—Queen Margaret's Host Drops Dead Before Her.

LONDON, Aug. 27.—Admiral Erben declined the invitation of the mayor of Southampton to attend the municipal banquet with the officers of the United States cruiser Chicago. His reason is that the Chicago is too short of officers to spare a sufficient number for such an occasion.

If credence can be given to popular report, the position of Doctor Johannes Miquel, the Prussian minister of finance, is shaken in consequence of the differences which have arisen between him and Chancellor Caprivi, and which have found public utterance in mutual acrimonious attacks in the semi-official journals during Emperor William's absence from Berlin. Shortly after his return to the capital the emperor determined to put an end to this open animosity, and it is now declared upon good authority that he intends to personally mediate the dispute, which threatens to have a disturbing effect upon the government policy.

Emperor William is not so enamored of Dr. Miquel's financial policy now as he previously was, and it is generally believed that if His Majesty fails in his efforts to bring about a reconciliation between the minister of finance and the chancellor, the former will have to go. In the event of the retirement of Dr. Miquel, other changes in the cabinet are spoken of, the most significant being the possible inclusion in the ministry of Count Bellestrom, as a concession to the centreists, who have long expressed a desire for representation in the cabinet, which Emperor William is now said to be favorably considering.

On his return the Emperor ordered the full reports to be furnished him with reference to the measures taken to prevent the spread of cholera. Hardly a day has passed without His Majesty having some expert or some administrative officer engaged in combatting the disease. For instance, on Wednesday last Dr. R. Koch had an audience of several hours with the Emperor, who entered into the details of the preparations necessary and who displayed great concern at the possibility of the recurrence of the pest on a great scale in Germany.

The Emperor took with him to England, on board the imperial yacht, a gift for his newly born cousin, the son of the Duke of York. The gift was in the shape of an exquisite little carriage in which the royal infant is to take his airings. The vehicle is in the form of a shell, covered with pale prismatic shades, contrasting with the pale blue velvet used to line the shell. The latter is furnished with a beautiful coverlet of rich crimson velvet, worked with the arms of the Guelph and Hohenzollern families. The baby carriage was sent to White Lodge at Richmond, from which place the delighted mother sent her thanks to the Emperor.

A small but noteworthy action of Emperor William has caused a great deal of satisfaction in the army, and has testified to the genuineness of his expressions of disapproval of the petty tyranny of certain officers of the army to men of lower rank but of superior class. It has been a well known fact that the schoolmasters especially were subjected to humiliating treatment when called out among the reserves for periodical training. An aggravated case of insult and ill-treatment of a school teacher has just resulted in the imprisonment of the officer guilty of the offence. The latter's sentence was submitted to the Emperor for confirmation, and his majesty in so doing wrote on the document saying: "I did not believe it possible that I had such an officer in my army." The note of the Emperor is looked upon as tantamount to cashiering the officer, whose name was forthwith struck off the army list. This will undoubtedly serve as an effective warning to similarly disposed officers against brutal disregard of the feelings of the men in their charge.

Queen Margaret, of Itsly, went to Gressoney valley, in the Province of Turin, several days ago, to visit Baron and Baroness Pecoz. On Saturday her host gave in her honor an excursion into the Alps. During the ascent he dropped dead before the Queen's eyes. She was nearly overcome, and became hysterical several times before reaching home. She still suffers from extreme nervousness. The King was summonded to her early yesterday. An examination of Baron Pecoz's body showed that he died from heart disease.

A dispatch from Rybinsta, an important commercial centre, situated on the right bank of the Volga river, states that a terrible storm passed over that city and the neighborhood on Friday last. The damage done to property was immense. The steamer Uspikh, plying on the river Shexna and the Volga, was caught by the storm on the former stream. There were 100 passengers on the vessel, and they were thrown into a panic by the tremendous force of the wind, the furious downpour of rain and almost impenetrable darkness. The captain, knowing that his vessel was in great danger, headed her for the beach, his intention being to run her ashore. Before this could be done, however, the vessel sprang a leak and began to founder. As she foundered her decks were blown up by the air in her hold. Everybody on board of her was thrown into the water, there not having been time to lower the boats. Despite the fury of the storm, passing vessels, which had heard the signals of distress, stopped and managed to rescue everybody except the captain and five other persons. Nothing was seen of those six after the steamer foundered, and it is conjectured that they were drowned.

THE DEMOCRATIC FUTURE.

(From St. Louis Globe-Democrat.)

It is easy to understand that the breaches which have occurred in the Democrat party since it was restored to power are not such as can be expected to disappear. They are of a nature that is calculated to breed further trouble rather than to pass away by mutual kindness and conciliation. There are not only vital differences of opinion and purpose to be seen, but there is also a condition of pronounced and bitter personal antagonism. The difficulty began in the first month of the new administration. Cleveland started out with characteristic prejudice against the Senators and other prominent Democrats who had opposed or failed to promote his nomination at Chicago, and with an evident determination to disregard their wishes and frustrate their enterprises. He might have placated them and made them his friends if he had cared to cultivate amicable relations with them; but he preferred to snub and defy them, and the result was that they formed a compact to resist and humiliate him. They have not at any time been made willing to carry out any of his desires if they could help it, and he has not sought on his part to gain their assistance in any other than an intimidating and coercive way.

A conflict of this kind can not be settled by the triumph of either side in any trial of strength. Cleveland came out ahead in the silver matter, but that did not cause the Senators to stack their arms and relinquish the fight; and now that the Senators have triumphed in the tariff matter, it is not to be supposed that Cleveland will sue for peace and become amiable instead of arrogant. The probability is that the struggle will be renewed whenever a pretext arises, and that harmony is not to be anticipated during the rest of Cleveland's term. It is an unfortunate state of things, not only for the Democratic party, but also for the country. Legislation of an important character will have to wait upon the adjustment of intervening quarrels, and the interests of commerce and industry will be constantly at the mercy of disturbing and detrimental forces. This is what it means to have Democratic rule. There is no definite assurance as to what will or will not be done. The policy of the administration does not command the support necessary to give it practical effect; and those who improve every opportunity to obstruct and disparage it are equally powerless to accomplish any affirmative result. It is a situation that gives no promise of substantial improvement, and the people may as well make up their minds that so long as the Democrats retain control of the government, it is useless to look for the sensible and satisfactory transaction of the public business.

A PLEA FOR THE CHILDREN.

TO THE EDITOR:—Will you kindly insert a few lines on behalf of the children. The hours at the public school are from 9 a.m. until 3:30 p.m., surely too long for this warm weather. Some young teachers, however, are not content with these. The dictation is read to the children very rapidly, then if they miss or mis-spell a word they are kept in after school and have to write out each word twenty times. I feel I should like very much to give those young teachers a dictation lesson and see if they were perfect and never missed a word. While before the public might I suggest that the singing master should attend each school, say for an hour twice a week. The present arrangement is that after the children have had their long day's school they are compelled to walk up to the Central school two afternoons a week. Better let the master go to them than turn 500 children loose on such a tramp. Thanking you for your space in which to air my grievances.

ONE INTERESTED.

AUCTIONEERS' LICENSE FEES.

TO THE EDITOR:—I should like to be informed if it is usual in this province for the clerks of municipalities to allow six months' credit on auctioneers' licenses, and if not paid at the end of that time to make a note for the amount? I am informed that this is the practice in one of the cities of this province, and if such is the case it is a manifest injustice to others who have to pay hard cash in advance for the privilege of selling goods at auction. By inserting this in the columns of your paper you will much oblige

AUCTIONEER.

Nanaimo, August 25, 1894.

The House of Hapsburg.

Rudolph von Hapsburg, riding to his Swiss home from hunting, came upon a priest carrying the sacrament to a sick man. The priest on foot was stopped by a river. Rudolph immediately dismounted, set the priest and sacrament on horseback and led the steed by rein to the sick man's house. He declined to take the horse again to daily use, but gave it to the priest for the service of the church. Remembering this deed, Werner, Archbishop of Mentz, in 1273, procured the election of Rudolph as King of the Romans and Kaiser. Hence we have the source and fount of the proud imperial house of Hapsburg. Schiller enhances the legend in one of the best of his ballads, "Der Graf von Hapsburg." It may be mentioned that the late heir to the throne of Austria was named after his illustrious ancestor, Rudolph.

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9-Room House (shingle roofed; Stable for 10 horses, with hay loft above; Stone Roothouse, Store Buildings, Dairy, Cow Sheds, etc., etc.

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Small Lot Household Furniture, Stove and Pipes, Cooking Utensils, Crockery, etc., etc.

This Property is within easy distance of many of the most important Gold, Silver and Coal Mines in West Kootenay. The population of this district will increase this year by at least 10,000; the area of farm land is very limited, and from this it may be fairly asserted that beef and all classes of farm produce will find a ready and lucrative market. The soil is the best bottom land, and the locality is one of the few places in the Province where so large a piece of good farm land can be found in one block. A river runs through the property, and rainbow trout are plentiful and afford capital sport. Deer abound in considerable numbers. Bear, Wolf, Coyote and other large game are to be found in the hills. There are two creeks recorded and belonging to the estate, one flows all the year round. Limestone and brick clay are to be had in the valley.

The Gattle are well bred; a much larger herd could be farmed with the place. The bunch grass on the hills in the vicinity covers many thousands of acres, and is available to the few land owners in the valleys. All buildings and fences about the farm are a good order, and farming operations can be gone on with at once; about 180 acres of ploughing have been, so far, provided for this year's work.

The Climate is not severe, the land being about 1,100 feet above sea level; the station was for many years the winter quarters of the H. B. Co.'s pack trains. There is a weekly express in and out. Goods and supplies at wholesale can be procured on order and delivered in 48 hours.

The Title is by grant from the Crown, and is free of all encumbrances. Immediate possession can be given.

Important Railway works are now in progress within moderate distance, and two railway lines have been run to pass close to or through the estate, which can be reached in the spring in three days' journey from Victoria.

The South West Kootenay District, British Columbia, judging from the actual ore products of the mines this winter, is destined in the next year or two to become one of the richest and most important mineral centres in the world. Statistics show, that although the district is in its primary stage, the mines have developed ore veins rich enough to warrant the investment of over million dollars. When these mines come to be worked systematically, there will be an

Influx of Population, which will require beef and farm produce in large quantities. The limited quantity of really good farm land in the district to supply these requirements makes this

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THE LATE SESSION.

The session of the British Parliament which closed on Saturday was an eventful one. During its continuance the parliamentary life of Mr. Gladstone may be said to have closed. It saw the rejection of both the Home Rule bill and the Evicted Tenants' bill by the House of Lords. It also saw the premature death of other measures from which great things were expected by the friends of the Government. During its progress the beginning of what promises to be an incurable division in the Liberal party was made.

The Irish members return to their homes disgusted with the lukewarmness and faintheartedness of their English and Scotch allies. They say, with truth, that during the session nothing has been really done for Ireland, and that at its close the cause of Home Rule is apparently further from success than when it opened. There are many Irish members who do not hesitate to express their conviction that the great bulk of the English Liberals were never really in favor of Home Rule for Ireland. This distrust of English Liberals is deep and general, and is not likely soon to disappear. The fact that it is well grounded is likely to make it permanent, for it requires no unusual power of discernment to convince the impartial observer that very few indeed of the English and Scotch Liberals are Home Rulers from conviction. The union between them and the Irish Home Rulers was one of convenience on both sides, and now that Mr. Gladstone is no longer an active politician, it is doubtful if they will ever be brought together again.

The Home Rulers from conviction are greatly disappointed that the rejection of the Irish measures by the House of Lords has not made that body unpopular. They expected that when the Lords rejected the Home Rule bill there would be, on the part of the Liberals at any rate, a strong expression of popular indignation. But there was nothing of the kind. The rejection of the bill was looked upon as a matter of course by the whole nation, and the people of all parties appeared to be greatly relieved when the agony was over. The rejection of the Evicted Tenants bill by the Lords was also generally expected. No one believed for a moment that they would do otherwise, and no one consequently was disappointed.

The course pursued by the House of Lords during the late session has not, as far as can be seen, lowered that body in the esteem of the people. The cry "Down with the Lords," raised by a few enthusiasts, met with no response. Moderate men believe that the House of Lords ought to be, at no very distant day, reformed. But even they do not look upon the reform as urgent. They appear quite contented to wait for it until it can be done quietly and comfortably. It does not seem at this moment that the abolition of the House of Lords will, as was not long ago confidently predicted, be an issue at the next general election in Great Britain.

By the way, very little has been said of late about a general election by either party. Neither Conservatives nor Liberals seem to long for an appeal to the people. If, as is now said by some, there will be a general election next year after the close of the session of Parliament, and the issue will be Home Rule for Ireland, the likelihood is that the Conservatives will be returned by a sweeping majority. Home Rule is not in these days a growing cause. In fact it has of late appeared to have lost ground considerably in popular esteem, and it is not easy to see how interest in it and zeal for it is to be revived. There is no Parnell now to guide the Irish Home Rulers and to keep them in restraint, and there is no Gladstone to create by wonderful eloquence and extraordinary tact an interest in it in Great Britain. Of course it is impossible to foresee what may occur in twelve months in the political world of Great Britain, but if something extraordinary does not happen within that time, an election on the Home Rule issue can hardly fail to diminish the supporters of Home Rule in the British House of Commons very considerably.

FAVORABLE MENTION.

Some of the wiseacres of the Dominion of Canada must have read the paragraph in the Queen's Prorogation Speech in which the Ottawa Conference is favorably noticed, with unbounded astonishment. They had passed judgment on that Conference before it assembled. They tried to make those whom they addressed believe that it was merely an incident of a junketting trip of a number of Colonial politicians, and that no importance whatever was to be attached to its deliberations. They unhesitatingly pronounced its decisions with respect to intercolonial trade and tariffs particularly, as absurd and unworthy the attention of practical men either in the Mother Country or the Colonies.

It is, however, seen by the Speech that Her Majesty the Queen and her Ministers are of a very different opinion. Immediately after the allusion to "tariffs and communication" the Speech proceeds:—"I have learned with pleasure that the proceedings of the Conference were of a character calculated to strengthen the union of the colonies concerned, both among themselves and with the Mother Country." This bears a very strong resemblance to what the despised and contemned advocates of Imperial Federation in Canada and elsewhere said about the work of the Conference, and we are very glad to see that it is highly appreciated by those who are so well qualified to form an intelligent opinion of its nature and its tendencies.

A REVOLUTIONARY REGION.

South America is again in an unsettled condition. The people of its different republics have much to learn in the difficult art of self-government. Political agitation in them tends, not to compromise as it does in Anglo-Saxon countries, but to revolution. In South America a political party when it cannot get its own way does not settle down patiently to wait until a more favorable opportunity for carrying its measures presents itself. The leaders of the defeated party do not quietly accept the situation. After the defeat in the Legislature they, if their following is strong enough and there is the remotest chance of success, endeavor to hurl their opponents from power by physical force. They sometimes succeed, but more frequently after a struggle more or less disastrous to the country, they are defeated. But this readiness of the politicians to resort to arms to accomplish their designs makes what the British consider "constitutional government," almost impossible in South America.

Brazil since it became a republic can hardly be said to have had a day's peace. The rebellion in the South continued to smoulder for some time and then the revolt of the navy placed the Government in a very difficult position. It seems now that the suppression of the rebellion has not brought peace to Brazil. President Peixoto does not appear disposed to step down and out as soon as his term of office has expired. He shows an unwillingness to make way for his successor which bodes ill for the peace of the country. The indication, according to the latest reports, are that he has resolved to play the part of Dictator. He and Congress have not got on well together, and it is said that he is preparing to act in contravention of the Constitution. This course, if continued in, means civil war.

There is rebellion in Peru. The President Cacers is evidently inclined to govern the country in a constitutional manner, but his enemies are determined not to give him a chance. The ex Dictator Pierola is in arms against his Government. In a recent proclamation issued by the President he says "my Government is recognized throughout the whole country. It is supported by the army and navy, majority of the press, a powerful party, and by public opinion generally. I am sure soon to suppress anarchy with the support of Congress, and will display severity towards the refractory rebels and clemency towards those who will lay down their arms and submit themselves to the constitutional authorities.

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It will be a very great pity if the reforming President is not allowed the opportunity to perform his promises and to carry out his good intentions. But General Pierola is active and able, and he appears confident of victory.

There is no revolutionary movement in Chili just now, but it has a fierce dispute with Argentina on a boundary question, which at any time may become acute. The dispute was by consent referred to President Cleveland for settlement. He decided in favor of Chili, but Argentina refused to abide by the award, so matters are in a worse condition than they were before the reference was made. Chili insists upon the decision of the President of the United States being respected, and if Argentina does not give in it threatens to fight. A war about a strip of mountain territory would not be profitable to either country.

A TIME TO SPEAK OUT.

The Vancouver News-Advertiser affects to be shocked at what it designates our "depths of ruffianism." It has no doubt been disturbed by our plain-speaking. It would like to be permitted to go on misrepresenting the financial state of the Government unchecked. It does not suit its purposes that the public should be reminded that as long as it is under its present management, it has forfeited its right to advise the people on any subject in which the financial standing of any government, any corporation or any individual is involved. When a paper under such management persistently endeavors by untruthful statements, by mean insinuations and by unproved and unprovable assertions to decry the credit of the Province, it is only right that the public should be reminded who it is that is attempting in the most unprincipled way to injure the whole community. And, let us add, those who for the sake of the notoriety they may gain, or to attain what they may consider a political advantage, aid the News Advertiser in its bad work, place themselves morally on a level with its editor. There is a time to call men and things by their right names, a time when euphemisms are out of place and when reticence is an indication of weakness. When men who are in a worse than an equivocal position have the effrontery to take upon themselves to guide the people, it is the duty of those who have their welfare at heart and who desire to uphold the character of the province to let the world know who and what they are.

A PEST OF THE PLAINS.

If there has been too much water this year in British Calumbia, there has been too little in the Northwest Territories. The farmers of some districts in that region have suffered greatly for want of rain, and the little that did grow was destroyed by the gophers. These little creatures, that look so harmless, are a grievous pest in some parts of the Territories. A reward of five cents is given for the head of every gopher killed, and although it has caused immense numbers of them to be caught, they are very far, indeed, from being exterminated. The Regina Leader says:

"This year the gopher has cost the Regina district over $100,000. Dry as the year was, every man would have had seed and bread and a little wheat to market but for the gopher, which has shaved the fields, especially in the high lands. Not only have they eaten the green corn, but they have stored away grain, carrots and other garden stuff in their granaries. The odd sections are a four-fold nursery ground for them."

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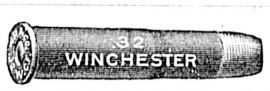

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THE CITY.

GOVERNMENT street, between Fort and Yates streets, and Yates street, between Government and Broad, have been closed to traffic until further notice, during the prosecution of sewerage construction.

AN important auction of imported tweeds and cloths will be held to-day at 11 a.m., when Messrs. H. Cuthbert & Company sell out the well known stock of D. Campbell & Co., Government street, near the post office.

IN their rooms in the Metropolitan Methodist church last evening the senior Epworth League met and passed a very pleasant evening. It was one of their regular monthly meetings, and a good programme had been provided.

GENERAL W. P. ROBERTS, the new U. S. consul, has taken up his residence with his family at the Hotel Victoria. He assumes the duties of his new office on Saturday of this week, the retiring representative of the great republic leaving next week for his former home in Iowa.

THE serious illness of Thomas Bowness, formerly of this city, referred to a few days ago, culminated Sunday in his death at Comox, of which town he had for some little time past been a resident. The deceased was a native of Langdale, Westmoreland, England, and was in his forty-sixth year. He leaves a wife and family of three, who are residents of this city.

THERE was to have been a meeting last night of the societies committee to make paeparations for the part the societies will take in the celebration during exhibition week, but through some misunderstanding only a few of the members turned up. It was thought best to adjourn subject to the call of the general secretary, Mr. Beaumont Boggs. Societies are requested to send the names of their delegates to that gentleman.

THE fire brigade was given short sharp work last evening at 21 Store street, the residence of W. H. Jones. The cause of the blaze was the upsetting of a candle by the children of the family who had gone to bed early. The mattress of excelsior and over-mattress of feathers made a thick black smoke in which it was very difficult to work, but nevertheless the fire was extinguished with the use of the chemical alone. The damage is estimated at from $50 to $100, and insurance was carried in the Phœnix.

NO arrangements as to the settlement of sealing compensation claims have as yet been submitted by the government to those interested, and it is generally believed here that a commission will be appointed to adjust the matter. Sealing men are awaiting further developments, and it is thought that if a commission is appointed on amicable understanding will be reached between all parties. Meanwhile, however, it is the expressed opinion of some American newspapers that the awards will not be sanctioned until next session of congress.

PART fourteen of the Masterpieces opens with a reproduction of the painting of "The Rival." A. Jaeger is an excellent portrait and genre painter. He loves to represent features of modern social life. Here is a German heiress wooed by two fine-looking men—a student and a sabre clinking, proud, courageous, moustache-twirling, heaven-storming young cavalry officer. Her smiling face hardly permits to doubt who will be the more successful of these rivals. A new coupon appears to-day. Bring three and ten cents and secure this number.

FOR some months Captain William Raymond Clarke, the well known auctioneer and shipping man, has been incapacitated from business, and in fact confined to his bed, his medical attendants having no hope of his ultimate recovery; yesterday the end came. About thirty years ago Captain Clarke came to Esquimalt as chief gunner of H.M.S. Forward. This position he resigned to accept the command of the Sir James Douglas, with which he was connected for a number of years. He next embarked in the business of an aucitoneer, in which he achieved a large measure of success, his personal qualities rendering his sale specially attractive, while he had a splendid faculty for extracting the last bid obtainable. Captain Clarke was born in England and was about sixty years of age at the time of his death, and had for some years been harbor master of the port of Victoria and surveyor for Lloyds. Captain Clarke leaves a wife and two daughters, one son having died during his own last illness, the sad news not having been conveyed to him on account of his weak condition. The funeral takes place on Wednesday morning (to-morrow) at 9 o'clock from the family residence, 53 Michigan street, and at 9 30 from the St. Andrew's (R. C.) cathedral.

IN the classic language of Chief Deasy "the department earned their money on Sunday." Between 10 and 11 o'clock on Sunday morning a bush fire broke out on the Pemberton estate, Fairview road. The men succeeded in putting the first fire out all right, but shortly afterward it broke out near the same spot, burning more fiercely than ever. Several houses were in danger from the burning bush and fences, and it was found necessary to send out the chemical. With this, a bucket brigade and some garden hose, the fight was kept up all day and all night, and it was only yesterday forenoon that the last sparks were extinguished. On Sunday evening two taps on the big bell told the fire chief that he was wanted out Cedar Hill way. It being a long way outside the city limits the apparatus was not taken, and it would have been useless in any case, for when the chief arrived on the spot the fire had almost died out for want of material. The house, a two-story cottage, belonging to William Hatch, was not occupied at the time, and the smoking embers hid all traces of how the fire originated. The dwelling, valued at about $1,500, was insured for $1,000 in the Alliance company. The house was near the Cedar Hill church, and those passing report that no suspicious characters were seen in the neighborhood.

GEORGE MCALPINE, who last Saturday started in with the charitable intention of "cleaning out" the Victoria hotel, came up in the police court yesterday. Constable Kavanaugh deposed that McAlpine resisted arrest and had to be conveyed to the lockup in a carriage. The Court in remarking on McAlpine's record stated that he had done three months twice already this year, both for stealing, and was only out a few hours when he was again arrested. Twenty dollars or two months was the order of the court, and George frankly admitted that he must choose the latter.

UNFORTUNATE little Harry McPhadden passed away on Sunday, all efforts to overcome the effects of the sad accident the day before being unavailing. The child was aged seven years, and in addition to being blind has been an invalid for the past two years. He was in the habit of propelling himself about in a wheel chair, and on Saturday he managed in some way to run off the back verandah and down a flight of steps. The shock and injuries proved too much for his weakened system, and death gave the little sufferer welcome relief. The funeral will be held this afternoon at half-past two o'clock from the residence of his father, Mr. P. McPhadden, No. 33 Elizabeth street.

CONSIDERABLE interest was manifested at the Theosophical meetings conducted by Dr. Griffin on Sunday and yesterday evenings in Institute hall. Both lectures were well attended, the first being productive of many questions which were put to the lecturer, and answered by him. Various branches of Theosophy were extensively dealt with by the lecturer, and as a result of Dr. Griffin's labors here the ranks of the society have been added to materially. The society, the local organization of which is now known as Kshanti branch secured a hall situated at No. 28 Broad street in which henceforth they will hold free public lectures every Sunday evening. In connection with the hall will be a free library and reading room, out of which will be loaned a book to any one for a period if wished of two weeks. Dr. Griffin leaves for Seattle in the morning where he will carry on similar work to that which he has just concluded in Victoria.

SECRETARY ELWORTHY of the Board of Trade yesterday evening received the following telegram:

TACOMA, WASHINGTON, Aug. 27, 1894.

President B. C. Board of Trade, Victoria:

We extend to yourself and all members of your organization an invitation to be present at 10 o'clock a.m., August 29th, to participate in the opening of the Northwest Interstate Fair. Advise me of your number and when they will arrive, and carriages will be in waiting to take you to the fair grounds.

G. L. HOLMES,
President Chamber of Commerce.

Members of the Victoria board who intend to accept the invitation are requested to notify Secretary Elworthy by noon to-day, as it will be necessary to take the Kingston this evening in order to be in time.

THE departure of Rev. W. D. Barber on a six months' visit to England was on Sunday and last evening made the occasion of special exercises at the Church of the Holy Saviour, of which he is pastor, the members and adherents uniting to give expression to their regret at the severance, even for a time, of the pleasant relations existing between them and their pastor, and their wish that he may enjoy the best of health during his brief stay in the Motherland. Rev. Mr. Barber leaves on Thursday morning, as delegate to the general meeting of the S. P. G., and as he will be busily employed all the time during his absence, his trip will not be of the nature of a holiday excursion. On Sunday evening Rev. Mr. Barber preached his farewell sermon, to a large and attentive congregation; last evening Fairall's hall, Esquimalt road, (which had been generously loaned for the occasion, was the scene of a most enjoyable social. The Bishop presided, and the first part of the evening was taken up with a choice programme of a musical and literary character. Afterwards, addresses were delivered by the Bishop and by Hon. Col. Baker, the latter on behalf of the congregation presenting Rev. Mr. Barber with a purse containing almost $200, collected since Friday last in the congregation. The pastor having acknowledged the gift in suitable words, the evening was brought to a close by the serving of refreshments by the ladies.

Hon. Mr. Fraser's Funeral.

BROCKVILLE, Aug. 27.—The funeral of the late Hon. C. F. Fraser was the largest ever seen here. The Ontario cabinet was represented by Sir Oliver Mowat and Hon. Messrs. Hardy, Harty and Ross.

"Friends."

"Friends" the charming comedy-drama, by that brilliant young playwright Edwin Milton Royle, is one of the assured successful theatrical ventures of this season. No play of recent years has met with such universal praise as this delightful production. Last season it received the unqualified approval of the press and public as presented by Messrs. Edwin Milton Royle, Lucius Henderson, Harry Allen, E D. Lyons, and Selena Fetter Royle. It will be seen here—Wednesday and Thursday, and is certain to duplicate its former triumphs. "Friends" is one of the few plays that can successfully bear repetition. It would be better for the to-day if there were more of such wholesome interesting plays written.

Fine China.

Our entire stock of Doulton ware, Royal Worcester ware, and Royal Crown Derby will be cleared out at cost price, for cash only. The sale begins to-day at Davidson Bros., the jewellers, 59 Government street.*

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SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

Opening of the Dominion Rifle Association Meeting at Ottawa—Poor Ammunition.

A Dinner to The Cyclers—All The Participants In at The Finish.

AN occasion of more than passing pleasure was the dinner given last evening in the private dining-rooms of the New England, the cyclists participating in last Saturday's road race being the guests, and Messrs. M. & L. Young the hosts. Mr. C. H. Gibbons, as Chief Consul of the C.W.A. in British Columbia, acted as chairman, Mr. M. Young filling the place of honor at the other end of the long table, and the other members of the wheeling community surrounding the board and doing full justice to as tasty and well served a little banquet as was ever served. The table was prettily decorated with flowers and mosses, and the appetites of the hungry wheelmen having been abundantly satisfied, stories of adventure by hill and path were told in harrowing detail, each and all punctuated with minute descriptions of broken front forks, punctured palmers, buckled rims, etc, of interest only to those practising bicycle surgery. Mr. Young the genial host, was fully enlightened as to the relative merits of wheels of every sort, and though he may have listened to as much "bicycle talk" as will interest him for months, with the wheelmen it is the other way. They yearn for more road races, more triumphs and more banquets at the New England. This handsome hotel is now the official C. W. A. house in Victoria, and it deserves to be, for none are more ready to do their share toward promoting the interests of athletics than are its proprietors.

Saturday's race is still discussed and rediscussed, the winners are quite capable, they say, of doing even better than they did—those who fell by the wayside long for another race in which they may demonstrate that they too can demolish records, even as the festive pile-driver. The probable result will be another contest at the same distance, when an equal start and best-and-best wheels will doubtless be the rule. Or Tiedemann and Moody might be matched for a contest, the loser to pay for just such a good supper as the club was treated to last evening? The motion would certainly pass the club by unanimous vote. Saturday's race plainly demonstrated one thing—that too light wheels are at a more serious disadvantage than wheels over weight in a long road contest. An old 48 pound Singer won the race, a Remington roadster coming in second and taking the time prize, with a Courier third—all heavy wheels. The Stearns racer came through all right, but Tiedemann was at a disadvantage on it, and the other light scorchers all met with mishaps of one kind or another, which it is not likely would have befallen their riders had they been more sensibly mounted.

THE RIFLE.

OPENING OF THE D. R. A. MEETING

OTTAWA, Aug. 27.—(Special)—The first day's rifle matches developed a great storm, not of atmosphere condition, but of indignation, with lots of cuss words thrown in. '94 ammunition is being used, and it is generally admitted to be greatly inferior to last year's make. Late this afternoon 100 competitors asked that the MacDougall match be fired over, on the ground that certain competitors had used '93 make instead of that supplied by the association. A committee will decide the protest early to-morrow. The general belief is that it will be disallowed, no evidence being forthcoming of substitution by any competitor. The majority of the riflemen regard the protest as an unsportsmanlike trick on the part of men who made poor scores and want another trial. Although the weather was against the competitors, the light being very bad, the British Columbia team more than held their own. Gunner Sharpe, of Montreal, won the Nursery; Lieutenant Blanchard was fourth man and won $10; and Gunner McRobbie ninth, winning $6. Captain Shearing, Sherbrooke, took first in the Hamilton Powder Co 's math with the possible; Bomb. Martin, fifteenth, $8; Lt. Blanchard, thirtieth. $5.

The Macdougall cup list is not posted. As made up Beckwith is ninth, winning $10, and Langley fifty-eighth, winning $4 Beckwith put up a possible at 500 yards extra series. The headquarters of the British Columbia team are very attractive. The magnificent cups won in Toronto were to-day received by Lieut. Taylor and are greatly admired. They will be carried to the Coast and grace Col. Prior's drawing-room.

CRICKET.

ALBIONS V. MR. HOLT'S XI.

The following is the score in the match between the above teams last Saturday, which was omitted in Sunday's issue owing to shortage of space;

ALBIONS.

A. Green, b Wallis	0
R. S. Savory, c Morley b Wallis	4
C. Frost, c and b Goward	23
J. C. Jones, not out	19
C. Schwengers, b Wallis	7
Q. D. H. Warden, b Goward	0
F. W. Thomas, run out	25
R. H. Swinerton, b Foulkes	12
W. Day, b Wallis	3
A. C. Anderson, not out	31
A. McLean, b W. A. Ward	7
Extras	11
Total	142

MR. HOLT'S XI.

W. Wallis, b Anderson	6
J. F. Foulkes, c Warden b Anderson	1
S. F. Morley, c Anderson b Schwengers	12
G. S. Holt, b Schwengers	14
W. A. Ward, c Schwengers b Anderson	9
H. F. Mytton, b Schwengers	4
B. Goward, h wkt b Schwengers	0
G. Wilson, b Warden	14
H. A. Holmes, b Schwengers	0
C. W. Ward, c Jones b Warden	5
R. C. Trimen, not out	0
Extras	12
Total	77

LACROSSE.

The somewhat celebrated "Beehive" and "Hackmen" teams yesterday played another curious combination under the head of "lacrosse." However the boys meant well and put up a lot of fun for the spectators. The teams lined up as follows:

Bee-Hives.		*Hackmen.*
W. Wallace	goal	J. Pilling
T. Black	point	E. Muleahey
F. Graham	coverpoint	B. Suuey
B. Snyder	1st defence	H. Lepson
F. Murrell	2nd defence	J. Truant
G. Baker	3rd defence	S. Rose
S. Small	centre	T. Burney
B. Morley	3rd home	D. Campbell
G. Smith	2nd home	J. McDowell
B. Davies	1st home	R. Winter
A. Lafferty	outside home	J. Rowe
S. Robb	inside home	R. Short

Referee—W. F. Blight.

Any description of the game is well nigh impossible without a thorough knowledge of the ancient Assyrian hieroglyphics where the rules are alone to be found. After eight minutes of shovelling, kicking, shinney, swiping and ground and lofty tumbling, Bob Short worried the ball through for the Hackmen. The second game was a hot number, occupying 41 minutes. They remarked: Now, Lafferty, water! Mickey, where are you? Hit him! Water!! Water!!! Will Hans! throw that rubber. Water!! Oh Hans!! Jump on him! Water!! and Lafferty started for the Beehives. The third game was a pocket edition of the second, Lafferty 14 minutes. Jack Rae gave the Hackmen the fourth game in 8 minutes. This made a tie and the game continued. At the end of another hour, with only three men left alive, referee Blight blew his whistle and called it off, still a draw. They will meet again.

HERE AND THERE

In the pool match—the first of the tournament opening yesterday evening in the Carter House—J. Davidson with a start of 40 was defeated by W. Waxstock, by 10 points. This evening J. C. Dalby plays Buchet, receiving 30 points.

VICTORIA WATER SUPPLY.

How it Stands For Fire Fighting Purposes at Present.

The following is the text of the report of Chief Deasy, of the fire department, on the present condition of the water supply, as made to the city council:—

His Worship the Mayor and Fire Wardens:

"GENTLEMEN:—At the last regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen reference was made to the supply of water for the suppression of fires. Pure water for drinking purposes, is desirable; but the successful fire fighting of the future depends upon a plentiful supply of water at a moment's notice. The fact must be recognized that as the city grows the number of fires will augment, and the value of property destroyed be correspondingly increased. Your water commissioner realized the danger when he reported as follows: "The importance of making available all possible means to provide an efficient fire protection service is of such great moment, that it is only necessary the inadequacy of our present resources for that purpose be realized, in order to have improvements made. That the city has outgrown existing provisions for the purpose referred to is shown by the following facts: On November 17th when the sewers were being flushed, four hydrants were used for that purpose; the pressure indicated at the city hall, before the water was turned on, was 43 pounds per square inch; the maintained pressure, after the water was turned on was 23 pounds per square inch, or, in other words, equal to a head of about 53 feet at the city hall. If a similar draught had been made in the daytime, in summer, when a much greater quantity than ordinary domestic consumption would be used for watering grounds, etc, the maintained pressure would have been that due to a head of about 35 feet, which, *for fire protection purposes, would be useless*"

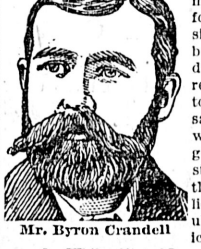
The highest pressure during 1893, at the city hall indicated 43 pounds per square inch. During the warm days this summer, the gauge showed but 35 pounds. This morning two hydrants were tested. One at the corner of Government and Yates streets registered 39 pounds; the other at the corner of Broad and Fort streets, showed 30 pounds A stream of water direct from a majority of fire hydrants in the city through 500 feet of hose, would fail it it became necessary to turn water in the window of a building three stories high. Without the assistance of steam fire engines the pressure would be almost useless on numerous streets.

Destructive fires comes to all cities and the means for checking conflagrations should receive careful consideration. In consequence of large areas and great height of buildings more powerful and heavier streams are worth gold mines. The best firemen in the world cannot extinguish the flames in a fourth story of a building, when the pressure is powerful enough to send a stream only to the second story. Should Victoria continue the use of water solely from Elk Lake, by gravitation, other means must be provided for fighting fires. Cisterns and portable steam fire engines would cost a large sum. In many large cities stationery pumps are connected with lines of pipes. For instance, should the council build an electric light station at some point on James Bay, lines of pipes might be laid throughout the business district and connections made with powerful pumps at the electric light station. Hydrahts might be placed on the line of pipes and, at all times a plentiful supply of salt water would be available. In the city of Detroit, Michigan, thirty-one effective streams can be concentrated around one building. Seattle has a main which is used in connection with the fire boat. The pumping system would save the expense of purchasing portable engines; less fire hose would be required; there would be no necessity for cisterns and the city would continue to enjoy immunity from fires of any magnitude.

I have the honor to be gentlemen,
Your Obdt. servant
THOMAS DEASY,
Chief of Fire Dept.

AMONG those going to the Mainland last night were twenty-eight members of the W.C.T.U. and Y's, who have gone to Vancouver to attend their annual convention, which opens this morning in that city. A very interesting time is expected, as this will be the largest convention of ladies ever held in British Columbia. Owing to so many being away from the city the usual Thursday afternoon meeting will be cancelled this week. The Victoria delegates are: Mrs. Spofford, Mrs. McNaughton, Mrs. Ware, Mrs. Pendray, Mrs. Burkholder, Mrs. Jenkins, Mrs. Crowther, Mrs. Morrow, Mrs. Chapman, Mrs. Clyde, Mrs. McEwen, Mrs. Flett, Mrs. McGregor, Mrs. McDermott, Miss Spencer, Mrs. Wm. Jenkins, Mrs. Grant, Miss Grant, Mrs. Emery, Mrs. Cleaver, Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. Pickard, Miss Fawcett, Mrs. Gould, Mrs. J. McMillan and Mrs. Marchant.

Rheumatism Cured



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THE UNFORTUNATE "MIOWERA"

Differences of Opinion Regarding Her Latest Mishap—May Become A Total Wreck.

The Pilot by Some Held Blamable—Particulars of The Recent Accident.

An old country paper, just to hand, contains the following in regard to the recent accident to the well known steamer Miowera, which it is feared may become a total wreck:

"The accident which occurred to the splendidly-built and luxuriantly appointed steamer Miowera while passing with a large complement of British tourists through the Sogne Fjord, has caused a sensation that cannot fail to seriously affect Norway for some time to come as a resort for holiday-makers. The Miowera, which was built by Swan & Hunter, of Newcastle, for the Canadian-Australian Steamship Company, is a steel three-masted screw steamer of 3348 tons, and was intended for the passenger traffic between Vancouver Island and various Australasian ports. From what has been ascertained, it appears that the company had not taken the vessel over, but that by arrangement Thomas Cook & Son had chartered the Miowera for a cruise in the Western Fjords. The Miowera sailed from the Tyne on July 25, having on board about 120 passengers, gathered from parts of England and Scotland. Very varying weather was experienced during the first few days, but towards the close of last week a delightful improvement set in, and the remainder of the fortnight's cruise was looked forward to with the greatest interest. The daily routine on board was one of unmixed pleasure, vocal and instrumental music forming a large element in the amusement programme. An excellent concert was carried out on Monday night, but the programme was unusually long, and it was past midnight before the concluding number was reached. Then, in view of a sunrise, everybody by common consent adjourned to their berths, and soon sleep had fallen upon the tired-out passengers. Almost precisely at 2 o'clock, however, the slumberers were rudely awakened by a frightful crashing and grating, and it was speedily realized that something very serious had occurred, more especially as orders were heard for the engines to be reversed "full speed astern," and those members of the crew who had been off duty were seen rushing from the quarters only partially dressed.

"Captain Stott and a pilot were on the bridge at the time, and it becoming apparent that the vessel had grounded badly, instructions were given to the deck officer to immediately warn and a semble the passengers, while the crew generally turned their attention to preparing the boats in order to take the tourists off in the event of the situation being regarded as dangerous. Very few minutes sufficed to ascertain the bearing of the steamer. She was on a ledge of submerged rock, and every moment's delay was calculated to increase the danger of her position. A general instruction was therefore given by the captain for all on board to make ready with all possible speed for the boats, which had by this time been swung over and lowered. The weather at the time was agreeably fine, the early morning air being really refreshing, and the water was so comparatively calm as to render anything like a panic out of the question. Nevertheless, much anxiety was felt, more especially among the lady passengers, lest the vessel should suddenly heel over or slip off into deep water, but Captain Stott allayed all fears by his earnest assurances. The arrangements in connection with the debarkation of the passengers were carried out with praiseworthy steadiness. The passengers manifested the utmost reliance on the coolness and judgment of the officers of the Miowera, and no panic occurred. The weather was calm, and within half an hour every passenger had been landed on the island. Later, the passengers and crew, to their great relief, descried a Norwegian steamer approaching, and to this vessel all were transferred and taken to Bergen. Fears were at first entertained by the captain that the Miowera would sink, but these anticipations were not realized, and were not, of course, made known to passengers generally. The Miowera is now heeling over on her side, with the red water mark plainly visible. General sympathy is expressed with Captain Stott, who, it is agreed on all hands, acted with great coolness under the circumstances, and was in no way responsible for the occurrence. The passengers, however, did not realize the imminent danger which they were in until they had all safely reached the shore. There are, nevertheless, grave insinuations against the pilot who is named Ole Romsdal, and in some quarters it is declared that he is not free from blame in the matter. On the other hand the pilot himself declares that the accident was due to the fact that the rock on which the Miowera grounded was not marked in the chart. The rock was covered by seventeen feet of water. It has transpired that Romsdal was not the man who should have piloted the vessel according to arrangement, but a substitute. The man originally engaged for the cruise had been engaged by the German Emperor to pilot the Imperial yacht during his majesty's visit to Norway. A public inquiry into the whole cause of the disaster will shortly be opened. Salvage vessels have been despatched to the entrance of the Sogne Fjord.

"The latest reports with regard to the steamer are not encouraging, and it is feared that the Miowera may become a total wreck. The disaster is now the only topic of conversation in all the Bergen hotels, which seem crowded to their capacity. So far the unfortunate passengers of the ill-fated Miowera have practically had to shift for themselves, and naturally, therefore, great concern is manifested respecting the arrangements that will be made on their behalf by those under whose auspices they have been brought here. Telegrams have been sent from owners or builders or agents of the steamer as to what is intended in the direction of returning the passengers to their homes, but so far nothing has come to hand. In an interview Mr. J. H. Dalziel, the member for Kirkcaldy Burghs, who was a passenger by the Miowera, having obtained release from his Parliamentary duties, spoke in terms of the highest praise and admiration of the manner in which Captain Stott and his crew exerted themselves in the interests of the large number of people under their care. He expressed himself strongly regarding the substitution of one pilot for another who had been specifically engaged for the safe conduct of the steamer through shallows and rapids, and declared his anxiety for the opening of the official inquiry that had been ordered in view of the statement of the pilot that the rock on which the Miowera crashed is not marked on the chart, a statement which has not been allowed to pass unchallenged. Mr. Dalziel would not permit himself to even hint what might have been the result had the weather been at all rough, and having regard to the fact that day had not broken when the steamer grounded. As it is, he has grave fears as to whether several of the weaker and more nervous members of the large party on board will ever recover completely from the first shock and the expressed dread of being drowned. Most of the passengers' luggage is, he explained, still aboard the vessel, but the Miowera is being closely watched, and unless she speedily becomes submerged, efforts will be made to bring all personal property ashore."

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ROBERT BURNS' DEATH.

An Account Copied From the Columns of a Contemporary Newspaper.

Here is an account of the death and funeral of Robert Burns taken from a newspaper of the time: "On the 21st (July, 1796,) died at Dumfries, after a lingering illness, the celebrated Robert Burns. His poetical compositions, distinguished equally by the force of his native humor, by the warmth and tenderness of passion, and by the glowing touches of a descriptive pencil, will remain a lasting monument of the vigor and versatility of a mind guided only by the lights of nature and the inspiration of genius. The public, to whose amusement he has so largely contributed, will learn with regret that his extraordinary endowments were accompanied by frailties which rendered him useless to himself and his family. The last months of his life were spent in sickness, and his wife, with five infant children, is now left without any resources but what she may hope from the regard due to the memory of her husband.

"Actuated by the regard which is due to the shade of such a genius, his remains were interred on Monday last, July 25, with military honors and every suitable respect. The corpse having previously been conveyed to the town hall at Dumfries, remained there till the following ceremony took place: The military there, consisting of the Cinque Port cavalry and the Angusshire fencibles, lined the streets on both sides to the burial ground. The Royal Dumfries volunteers, of which he was a member, supported the bier; a party of that corps, appointed to perform the military obsequies, moving in slow, solemn time to the 'Dead March in Saul,' which was played by a military band—preceded in mournful array with arms reversed. The principal part of the inhabitants of the neighborhood, with a number of particular friends of the bard, from remote parts, followed in procession; the great bells of the churches tolling at intervals. Arrived at the churchyard gate, the funeral party, according to the rules of that exercise, formed two lines and leaned their heads on their fire-locks, pointed to the ground. Through this space the corpse was carried. The party drew up alongside the grave, and after the interment fired three volleys over it. The whole ceremony presented a solemn, grand and affecting spectacle, and accorded with the general regret for the loss of a man whose like we shall scarce see again."

Rome's Population.

The greatest cities of ancient times were Babylon and Rome. The former is said to have an area of 100 to 200 square miles; its houses were three or four stories high, but palaces and gardens occupied much of the vast area, so that the population was not what these figures would seem to indicate. In fact, it is said by one historian that nine-tenths of this area was taken up by gardens and orchards. The total population of the city under Nebuchadnezzar and his son, Evil Merodach, is estimated at upwards of 2,000,000. Rome reached its greatest size during the fourth century of our era and its population was then about 2,600,000

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Victoria, July 30, 1894. jy31

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Victoria, at the sittings of the Board to be held on Wednesday, the 12th day of September, 1894, for a license to sell by retail wines, spirits, beer and other fermented and intoxicating liquors, in and upon the part known as the basement of the building situate upon lots ten (10) and eleven 11), block seventy-seven (77) Victoria City, the Board of Trade Building.

Dated Victoria, B.C., August 10th, 1894.
au11-td WM. JENSEN.

TO THE Board of Licensing Commissioners in and for the City of Victoria—Take notice that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners in and for the City of Victoria at its next sittings, to be held on the second Wednesday in September, 1894, for a transfer of my retail liquor license to sell wines, spirits and fermented liquors at the premises known as the Duck Building, situate on the west side of Broad street, between Johnson and Yates streets, on Lots 159A and 160A, Block II., to Simeon Duck, of the City of Victoria.

Dated 23th May, 1894.
au4-td M. C. BROWN.

I HEREBY give notice that I intend to apply to the Licensing Board at its next sitting for a transfer of my license to sell wines and liquors on the premises known as the Gordon Hotel, Johnson street, Victoria City, to Alexander Hendry.

GEORGE DOUGHERTY.
Victoria, B.C., 24th July, 1894, au8-sc15

WRITING CANADA'S HISTORY.

A Committee of Educationalists Act as Judges—A National Standpoint

Is the Object in View, so as to Have a Text Book on History Acceptable to All Classes.

(Continued.)

SULTE, CANADA'S HISTORIAN.

Mr. Benjamin Sulte, Dr. Robins' confrere as representing Quebec, is regarded by his fellow countrymen as the greatest living authority on the history of this province. He was born at Three Rivers, on September 17, 1841, and is the only living son of Benjamin Sulte and Marie Lefebvre, the latter of whose ancestor was the first French settler at Baie du Febvre in 1683. Young Sulte left the Friars' school at the age of ten, and since that time he has never been a week at a time without a salary. Even at that early age he could read, write and calculate well, and had a good knowledge of English. He always devoted his evening hours to reading, and his readings were as a rule systematically chosen, but history had the preference. At first he was a clerk in a dry goods establishment, then in a grocery store, and subsequently he became a book-keeper with the lumbering firm of G. A. Gouin & Co. Later he was purser on one of the vessels plying between Montreal and Three Rivers, then a merchant selling clothing in connection with the building of the Three Rivers and Arthabaska railway, and again, in 1864, as book-keeper at Gouin's. In 1863 Mr. Sulte had joined one of the two companies of infantry that were organized at Three Rivers, and two years later his company (No. 1) was sent to the Niagara frontier, and he was made a color-sergeant of it, returning in July, when he went to the military school at Quebec. Having a taste for literature, which he had already evinced in verse and prose, he, as an editor, followed the autumn session of parliament and in February, 1866, again joined his company at the Missisquoi frontier. When the company returned home in July he became city editor of LeCanada, Ottawa, and in November of the following year he entered the service of the House of Commons as one of its translators. In May, 1870, he was removed to the Department of Militia and Defence, where he is still employed, having on July 1, 1887, been appointed chief clerk of the department. He has taken an active part in the following societies: Cercle Litteraire, Three Rivers, of which he was president from 1861 to 1865. Cercle Artistique et Litteraire, Brussels, Belgium, of which he was a corresponding member in 1866; St. Jean Baptiste society, Ottawa, of which he was secretary in 1866; Institut Canadien-Francais, Ottawa, of which he was president from 1874 to 1876. In 1875 Mr. Sulte became a member of the Literary and Historical society, Quebec; in 1877, president of the St. Jean Baptiste society, Ottawa, and also president of St. Thomas Benevolent society, Ottawa; in 1878, a member of the historical society of Montreal, and also of the State Historical society of Wisconsin; in 1882, a member of the Royal Society of Canada; in 1883 president-general of the St. Jean Baptiste society of Ottawa, and in 1885 he was made president of the first section of the Royal Society of Canada. As a lecturer Mr. Sulte is well known. In 1878 he visited the New England states and delivered lectures in the French-Canadian centres, and on delivering his one-hundredth lecture in the French-Canadian institute at Ottawa, he was made the recipient of a valuable present. Mr. Sulte differs from many speakers in that he never writes his addresses, and he speaks without notes. As a litterateur Mr. Sulte is known far beyond the Canadian border. His first efforts in this direction were verses published in 1859-60 under various noms des plume. In 1861 he signed his own name to his productions, which at once attracted attention. Since then he has contributed numerous articles to the French press, both in Canada and the United States, besides several volumes of an historical character, and other works, such as large indices to series of historical documents, have been put in circulation. In 1885 he contributed his one hundredth article to La Revue Canadienne, on which occasion the directors gave him a grand banquet in Montreal, and the next number of the Revue contained nothing from any writer except Mr. Sulte, who contributed, among other things, verses, a novel, a review of books and a study of certain points of Canadian history. Since 1885 he has published in the French press of Canada and the United States articles dealing with various points of Canadian history, and in the English language he has published many articles relative to the Ottawa valley in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries. These he intends to publish in book form at an early date. He is a staunch Roman Catholic, and a Conservative; but since 1867 he has taken no active part in politics. In May, 1871, he married at Ottawa, Augustine, youngest daughter of Etienne Parent, under-secretary of state.

NOVA SCOTIA'S REPRESENTATIVE.

Dr. Hall who possesses a wide range of knowledge, will represent Nova Scotia. He comes of Loyalist stock, and was born at Laurencetown, Annapolis valley, Nova Scotia, over forty years ago. He received his early education in the workshop and schools of his native village, and in 1869, after a preparatory course, received principally at the teacher's desk, he entered the University of Acadia college and graduated as B.A. in 1873. Three years later he received the degree of M.A. from his Alma Mater. In 1874 Mr. Hall commenced a post-graduate course at Boston university, and in 1877 he received the degree of Ph.D. In the autumn of the same year he opened a private school in his native village, which proved very successful, and in 1879 he was appointed principal of Horton academy, and in the autumn of that year he was called to fill the chair of education and method in history and literature in the provincial Normal school. On different occasions Acadia university honored Dr. Hall by electing him president of the Alumni society, and subsequently he was elected a member of the senate of the university and a visitor to the college. His chief educational work, however, has been done in connection with the common schools of his native province. He was actively engaged as secretary of the Kindergarten committee in introducing the Kindergarten system into Nova Scotia and in fostering its interests during its first trying years. In connection with others, he assisted in the formation of the Normal school alumni association, which, in turn, founded the Summer School of Science of the Maritime provinces. He was at one time secretary and president of this institution, and he is now instructor in physiology. In 1883 he spent three months in Europe, visiting the schools in many of the leading cities, and six years later he spent twelve months in study and observation of educational work in the schools and universities of Germany. Besides visiting many schools, he studied under Paulsen and Lazarus, of Berlin university, and under Prof. Rein at Jena. On his return from Europe he published a pamphlet, entitled "Notes on the German Schools," in which he outlined the result of his observations of common school work in Germany. Subsequently he published "Physiology and History of education," in which considerable attention was devoted to the pedagogics of Herbart. In 1891 Dr. Hall was appointed examiner in teaching for the province of Nova Scotia.

FROM THE GARDEN ISLE.

Dr. Anderson, who will represent Prince Edward Island, has for the last thirty-one years devoted himself to the work of education in that province, and by his broad views, deep insight into educational problems and long and successful experience he has been the most powerful factor in the moulding and the diffusing of education in that province. He was born in Aberdeen in 1836, and received his preliminary education in his native city. In 1855 he entered the Moray House Training college for teachers, Edinburgh, where he remained for two years, being, at the end of his course, appointed one of the masters in the practising department of that institution, which position he held until 1859. His university course, taken at Edinburgh between 1858 and 1862, was a brilliant one, especially in pure mathematics and natural philosophy, in which he won the highest honors. In 1862 he was appointed to the Prince of Wales college, Charlottetown, where his chief work was mathematics and natural philosophy till 1868, when he was made principal of the college. On the amalgamation of the college and the Normal school in 1879, he was appointed principal of the joint institution. In 1887 the former students of the college showed their appreciation of their professor and principal by tendering him a banquet and making him a handsome presentation, the leaders in this act of recognition and esteem meeting with the most unbounded enthusiasm from students in every part of the country. In 1888 McGill university recognized Mr. Anderson's ability and work by conferring on him the degree of LL.D.

"A born teacher," is the verdict on Dr. Anderson of those who have had the good fortune of being under him; and seldom has a man been able to wield such an influence in the class-room by his own personality. It is, indeed, in the actual work of the class-room that Dr. Anderson shows his genius as a teacher. Here his drill and thoroughness, his comprehensive grasp of subjects and his wide scholarship, set forth as they are, with matchless fire and force, kindle an interest and zeal in students that never leave them. Many are the eulogiums which have been spoken of him by those competent to judge, and all unite in saying that in the lower provinces no one can be regarded as having produced educational results to be compared with those he has achieved. As a Shakespearean scholar, it may be added, he holds high rank.

NEW BRUNSWICK'S REPRESENTATIVE.

The representative of New Brunswick is Mr. G. U. Hay, Ph.B., a prominent educationist of that province. Mr. Hay has for years been principal of the Victoria High school, St. John, N.B., and also a co-editor of the Educational Review, a periodical which is published in the interest of teachers in general, but especially those of the Maritime provinces. In addition to doing much onerous work as an educationist in New Brunswick, he has been able to take an active interest in the annual meeting of the Royal Society of Canada, of which he was elected a member some years ago.

MR. GOGGIN, OF THE N. W. T.

The Northwest Territories will be represented by a gentleman widely and favorably known in educational circles, Mr. D. J. Goggin, M.A., superintendent of education for the Northwest Territories. He was born at Durham, Ont., in 1849, and after receiving a good public school education and obtaining a first-class certificate, he for a time followed the vocation of a teacher in village schools. He was prepared for the university in the Whitby High school, then under the direction of Mr. Kirkland, the present principal of the Toronto Normal school. Later, Mr. Goggin was assistant in the Whitby High school, then he became principal of the Milbrook schools, and subsequently principal of the Port Hope schools. When the Ontario Model school system was established, Port Hope was, as a result of the excellent work done there by Mr. Goggin, selected as a centre. Indeed, his ability to train teachers was such that when the authorities in Manitoba were looking for a good Normal school principal they invited him to go west to mould their training system and make it not only acceptable to the people, but popular as well. He accepted the invitation, and so well did he succeed in the work that after six years' labor the Winnipeg Daily Tribune said of him: "Perhaps no one in the province is more widely or more favorably known in educational circles than D. J. Goggin, M.A., principal of the Normal school. He came here in the spring of 1884, when the school was in its infancy, and by his unceasing and intelligent labors has brought it to its present state of efficiency. To the reputation he had in Ontario of being incomparably her best Model school teacher, he has added the reputation of being one of the most successful Normal school masters in the Dominion. Taking it all in all, there is no one in the province who has excited as great or as beneficial an influence on the schools as Mr. Goggin, and certainly no one has so many friends among the teachers."

When the members of the Northwest executive last year decided to enter upon a more progressive educational policy they invited Mr. Goggin to take charge of their educational system, believing that his varied and successful experience specially gifted him for the work. The territorial press warmly commended the action of the executive, while the Manitoba press joined the school and college authorities there in regretting his departure. The work he has accomplished shows the wisdom of the choice.

It may be added that, while in Manitoba, Mr. Goggin was a member of the council of the University of Manitoba, a member of the Advisory Board of Education, a member of the council of St. John's college, and an examiner for the university and the Department of Education. He has also been president of the Provincial Teachers' Association and provincial manager of the National Educational Association of the United States.

THE PRAIRIE PROVINCE.

Manitoba will be represented by Mr. Daniel McIntyre, M.A., whose name is well known in connection with scholastic work. He is a native of Dalhousie, N.B., where he was born in 1852. He was educated in Dalhousie public and grammar schools, Fredericton Normal school, Dalhousie college, and at Halifax. He is a graduate of the University of Manitoba. He taught for several years in Portland, N.B., and was superintendent of the schools of that town for two years. At one time he was attorney of the supreme court of New Brunswick. Subsequently he removed to Winnipeg, where he taught for two years, but for the past nine years he has been superintendent of public schools at that place. In 1893 he was appointed registrar of the University of Manitoba, but resigned the office at the close of the year, on account of the pressure of school duties.

BRITISH COLUMBIA'S REPRESENTATIVE.

The representative for British Columbia will be Mr. R. E. Gosnell, who is well known throughout the Pacific province. He has born in 1860 at Lake Beauport, seignory of St. Francis, Quebec, where he received an elementary education, his first teacher being Mr. J. H. Richardson, afterwards author of a text-book on arithmatic, and accountant of the Department of Education. At an early age he moved with his parents to County Grey, Ont., and subsequently to County Kent, on the banks of Lake Erie, to a farm adjoining that of Hon. D. Mills, from whom he received some lessons in Latin. When about sixteen years of age he left home, and, with varying fortunes, followed his own career. Possessed of a limited public school education, and, with the exception of a few months in Chatham Collegiate institute, having no academical training, he, after leaving home, turned his attention to teaching, which he followed for eighteen months. As a school boy his bent was in the direction of composition, and therefore he naturally turned to journalism, and being offered a position on the Chatham Tribune he accepted it and gave up teaching. The duties of his new position included everything in the range of the profession, from mailing clerk to editorial writer. Subsequently he became editor of several Ontario papers. For two years he was editor of the Port Hope Times, and for five years he was editor of the Chatham Planet.

In 1888, on account of ill health, he removed to British Columbia, having accepted a position on the News-Advertiser, Vancouver. He soon became identified with the promotion of fruit-growing associations and other movements affecting the material development of the province, and in 1890, having resigned his connection with the News-Advertiser, he was appointed commissioner of the British Columbia Exhibit association, in which capacity in that and the following year, he visited the leading cities of the Dominion with exhibits of British Columbia products. In 1891 he was appointed census commissioner for the New Westminster district, which has the distinction of being the largest electoral riding in Canada, occupying two-thirds of the area of British Columbia. In September of last year he was named by the Minister of Education as the representative of British Columbia on the Dominion History committee, and in the following month he was made librarian and secretary of the Bureau of Statistics and Historical Information for the province, positions recently created by act of Parliament. For the last three years he has acted as associate editor of the Winnipeg Commercial, and has written somewhat extensively on the material and historical aspects of the province. For years he has been an occasional contributor to magazines. He is a Conservative in politics, and is a member of the council of the Imperial Federation League of Canada, with which cause he is prominently identified in British Columbia. In 1887 he married Miss Agnes Wilson, a graduate and gold medalist of Ville Marie academy, Montreal, and an accomplished vocalist.

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" 9, " 42	R. C. Cridge	Victoria [Vic. Dist.
" 10, " 42	W. S. Stoddart	Harriett Rd., Burnside.
" 11, " 42	Henry Callow	Belton Av., Vic. West.

Persons to whom allotments have been made are requested to call at the office of the undersigned and sign their leases.

W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 17th August, 1894. au19

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery for the Year 1894.

FALL ASSIZES.

*Nelson	Monday ...10th September
*Donald	Monday ...17th September
Clinton	Thursday..20th September
Richfield	Monday ...24th September
Kamloops	Monday ...1st October
Vernon	Monday ...8th October
Lytton	Friday.....12th October
New Westminster	Tuesday ...6th November
Vancouver	Monday ...12th November
Victoria	Tuesday...20th November
Nanaimo	Tuesday...27th November

*Special Assizes adjourned from the Spring by Mr. Justice Walkem and now fixed for these dates. au13

"Fire Insurance Policy Act, 1893."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has further postponed the commencement of "An Act to secure Uniform Conditions in Policies of Fire Insurance," from the 1st day of April 1894, until the 1st day of April, 1895.

JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
29th March, 1894. fe10-td

NOTICE.

Government Street, between Queen's Avenue and Bay Street, will be closed till further notice By order.

(Signed) E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

May 28, 1894 my29-tf

IN RE GEORGE THOMSON, DECEASED:

Pursuant to the Trustees and Executors' Act, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demand upon or against the estate of George Thomson, who died at Victoria on the 7th day of August, 1894, and whose will was duly proved by George Roberts and Maria Thomson, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of October, 1894:

Notice is also given that at the expiration of the time named the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the testator amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which they then have notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim they have not had notice at the time of the distribution.

Dated the 18th day of August, 1894.

BODWELL & IRVING,
21 Bastion street, Victoria, B. C.
Solicitors for the Executor and Executrix.
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LAND REGISTRY ACT.—Subdivision No. 5 of Suburban Five-Acre Lot VIII., Victoria City—A certificate of indefeasible title to the above subdivision will be issued to Maurice Humber on the 19th day of November, 1894, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein, or some part thereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 10th August, 1894. au15 3m

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TIME TABLE No. 20,

To take effect at 9.00 a.m. on Friday, Apr 27th 1894. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

SOUTH BOUND (Read Up)	No. 3 Pass'r. Fr.Sa Su.	No. 1 Pass'r. Daily	STATIONS.	Mls. from Vic	No. 2 Pass'r. Daily	No. 4 Pass'r. Fr.Sa.Su.	NORTH BOUND (Read Down.)
	P.M.	P.M.			A.M.	P.M.	
	Ar. 8.00	Ar. 12.24	Victoria	0	Dc. 8.00	Dc. 3.04	
	7.56	12.20	Russell's	4	8.04	3.08	
	7.48	12.10	Esquimalt	7	8.12	3.16	
	7.28	11.45	Goldstream	11	8.38	3.31	
	6.59	11.10	Summit Siding	20	9.14	4.06	
	6.37	10.50	Shawnigan Lake	28	9.44	4.27	
	6.17	10.37	Koksilah	35	9.57	4.40	
	6.00	10.27	McPherson's	38	10.07	4.50	
	5.52	10.12	Duncan's	43	10.12	5.01	
	5.32	10.02	Chemainus	52	10.48	5.12	
	5.15	9.15	Somenos	59	11.09	5.49	
	" 4.42	Dc. 8.34	Oyster Bay Siding	73	Ar. 11.50	" 6.22	
	Dc. 4.30	Ar. 8.25	Nanaimo	78	Dc. 11.59	Ar. 6.31	
	P.M.	Dc. 8.10	Wellington		Ar. 12.14	P.M.	
		A.M.			P.M.		

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11.45 pm	38	. Port Townsend .	72	1.30 pm
3.00 am	92	..... Seattle.....	28	10.15 am
4.45 am	110	Ar.*...Tacoma.....Lv	M	8.00 am

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The Colonist.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 28, 1894.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, Aug 26, 1894.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	55°	Mean 60	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	52°		
9 a. m..	61°	Highest 75	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m..	68°		1 p.m.—4 S.
5 p. m..	64	Lowest 51°	9 p.m.—Calm.
9 p. m..	59°		Rain—.00.

Average state of weather—Clear.
Sunshine—10 hrs. 42 min.

ESQUIMALT STATION, Aug. 27, 1891.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	65°	Mean 63°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	53		
9 a. m..	65°	Highest 77°	5 a.m—Calm.
1 p. m..	73°		1 p. m.—4 S.
5 p. m..	72	Lowest 53°	9 p. m.—Calm.
9 p. m..	62°		Rain—.00.

Average state of weather—Clear.
Sunshine—11 hrs. 0 min.
E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer ROSALIE from the Sound—T Sanders and wife, Mrs Locke, T A Barlow, W B King and wife, Mrs Parkhurst, Miss Parkhurst, Mrs C Jackson, T Piper, J A Ritchie, C D Stevens, W J Barber, Jas Duncan, Chas Walton, H Burton, E Dickins, J Schultz, A Baker, J H Brownlee, A L Belyea, Chas Smith and J Christenson.

Per Str. UMATILLA, from San Francisco—Miss Atkinson, Miss E Gaynor, Miss Hill, U C Riddle, May M Crockett, Lord Churchill, Lady Churchill, Dr G Keith, T Walden, F Train, Robt Kee, Alex J Doull, R Doull, Peter Fleming, Mrs Simpson, A M Selinger, Mrs Holland, Ed M Uplegraft and wife, F Hastings and wife, Isaac Thexton, T Weaver, J J Stuart, E L Patterson, H L Dezing, Mrs J B McIntyre, R Paulsen and wife, S C White Omar White, Wm Crockett, R C Timmins and Miss Coral C Carel.

Per Str CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—Jos Wright, F W Cornwall and wife, C T Overbough and wife, Mr Foster, A Baten, T Conners, John Martin, N Von Austin and wife, H Stephens, Mrs McElery, J H Brock, P Blockwinks, E W Andrews, H Hughes, Lillie Berryman, E Hope, A L Craig and wife, J Johnson, W Corden, Col Landes and wife, J Thompson, Jno Ismon, A Liudike, T Tagg, D Cutler, H Elliott, E Kenton, C A Rattray and F H Wadleigh.

Per Steamer CHARMER, from Vancouver—Mrs Stears, A T Bloor, Robt Anderson, J McNicoll, Jas Hartley, G S Langrre, A Henderson, J A Manley and wife, C N McDonald, L Garnbuy, B B Draper, Mrs Fletcher, Robt Irving and wife, Miss Ogle, Miss Angus, C Johnson, R W Husband, Sertram Norton, E M N Woods, Mrs T Draper, Mrs Woodrow, F V Austin, R Swalwell, Miss Richards, A Bocket, Mrs Phillips, A H Gordon, C E Woods, J J Austin, A C Fraser and Mrs Smith.

Per Str. R. P. RITHET from Westminster—Miss Randolphe, Mr and Mrs G F Matthews, Mr and Mrs H Cuthbert, H Dickinson, D W Millar, G Vigo, J McInnes, W H Fuller, A W Carter, W Lindsay, P Bernardo, T W Fitsch, J Leonard, Geo Johnson, W Rofuse, E Kelly, J McClinath.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Steamer ROSALIE from the Sound—F M Rattenbury, Wilson Bros, Tribe & Burton, R P Rithet & Co Ltd, Weeks & Robson, J M McGregor, Lillian Morris, Thomas Saranitis, Oppenheimer Bros, S Leiser and Hud Bay Co.

Per Str. UMATILLA, from San Francisco—Albion Iron Wks, A F Englehart, A McGregor & Sons, B C Cattle Co Colbert & Warner, Colonist P & P Co, Cochrane & Munn, C P N Co, D H Ross & Co, Erskine Wall & Co, E G Prior & Co, Gam Fook Yuen, Hudson Bay Co, H Mansell, H Short & Son, J & A Clearihue, J J Shalleran, J H Falconer, L White & Co, Leahy & Bennett, L C Minchlee, Mrs J B McIntyre, Northwest Produce Co, R Baker & Son, Robt Porter & Son, R P Rithet & Co, Su Hop, Speed Bros, Sam Leiser, S Leiser & Co, Vaio & Brook, Vict Elec R & L Co, Wilson Bros, W J Pendray, Watson & Hall, Wm Oakes, Yuen Lung, Ying Chong Lung, Yu Yuen and Wells Fargo & Co.

Per Str CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound—J Wright, Erskine W & Co, J H T & S, Geo Powell & Co, E B Hill & Co, E E Blackwood, Weiler Bros, J W Way, M E Tower, Elec Ry & Lt Co, M R Smith and Lai Hay & Co.

Per Steamer CHARMER, from Vancouver—Langley & Co, Lenz & Leiser, Rev J C Spencer, Alex Vye, T B Pearson, Stevens & Jenkins, T Shotbolt, W Duncan, J Somers, Rev D H Gibbon, Ames Holden & Co, E A Morris, S Leiser, J Sehl, C E Jones, Miss Vigor, J Horner, Gilmore & Mott, W J Jeffree, H Young, D Spencer, R McDonald, Marvin & T, G C Shaw, Turner B & Co, J Piercy, J D Temple, Louise Thaale, Taylor M Co and Dom Exp Co.

Per Str. R. P. RITHET from Westminster—W Marchant, R P Rithet & Co Ltd, B C Cattle Co, D McIntosh, J McInnes, Agent Dom Exp Co.

DIED.

MCKEEL—At the residence of her daughter, Mrs D. F. Adams, on the 26th inst., Mrs W. B. McKeel, wife of the late W. B. McKeel, of New Brunswick, aged 79 years.

The funeral will take place from her daughter's residence, Gorge Road, Tuesday at 2:30 and from Christ church at 3 o'clock.

CLARKE—At his residence, 53 Michigan street, on the 27th instant, William Raymond Clarke, a native of England, aged 60 years and 7 months.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday at 9 o'clock from the residence as above, and at St. Andrew's Roman Catholic Cathedral at 9:30 a.m.

A New Sleep Theory.

A foreign scientist, whom the account says is "a man of international reputation," offers a brand new theory of the cause of sleep. He believes the fatigue of the nervous system which leads to this condition of the body to be due to an increase of the water-holding power of the nerve cells. This being the case, the greater the ability of the cells to hold water, the less the nervous irritability of the individual. He further says that the sleeping individual is easily awakened as soon as the major portion of the water has been eliminated by the "sleep process."

QUIETLY BUT STEADILY—Without fiction, fuss or flurry, we are clearing out the remainder of our Summer Stock in every branch of Dry Goods. Bargain seekers should inspect. Many lines in Dress Stuffs are reduced to half price.
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The Interstate Fair.

For the Interstate Fair at Tacoma, the steamer City of Kingston has made a round trip rate of $5.70, including two admissions to the Fair.

Tickets on sale every Tuesday and Friday, from August 14th to October 30th inclusive, with final limit of twenty days from date of sale.
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MARINE MOVEMENTS.

A Rock Pierces the Forward Compartment of the Stranded Steamer "Queen."

Empress of India Sails For Japan—The "Sikh" Leaves Yokohama for Victoria.

The tug Velos, which arrived down yesterday afternoon with a tow of stone from Haddington island, brings further news of the stranded steamer Queen. There was a dense fog on Wednesday night, and though the Queen proceeded very cautiously yet at 2 30 Thursday morning she ran slap aground on Point Gordon. Friday night, the Velos on her way up saw the Queen burning blue light, and Capt. Anderson ran close in to offer assistance. The Queen's captain answered that he did not need any, but next morning ran up in a steam launch to Haddington island to try and borrow the barge for the purpose, he said of lightening chains and other heavy stuff forward. The barge, however, by that time was partly loaded with stone, and so he returned without it. It turns out that the Queen has her forward compartment full of water, a big boulder having pierced her bottom forward. All the passengers are ashore, and when the Velos passed on her way down Saturday night the stranded vessel was lying easily. The Topeka was expected along to bring the passengers down and render assistance; she belonging to the same company, it will save salvage if she can get the Queen afloat. She will have to be lightened and raised forward before she will come off the rock that has pierced her. Officers of the U.S.S. Hassler, which reached Nanaimo yesterday, arriving down by the noon train, give it as their opinion that the Topeka will not attempt to release the Queen until returning from the Sound with pumps and other necessary gear, simply picking up the distressed passengers and hurrying on her way. The Topeka is now fully due here, but in view of the urgency of carrying help to the Queen may not call on the down trip.

THE "EMPRESS" AWAY.

The Maud was tender to the Empress of Japan when the latter arrived off the outer wharf en route to China and Japan, at about 9 30 o'clock last night. She carried out among other passengers for the Orient Lord Randolph Churchill, Lady Churchill and the former's secretary, who are proceeding on their tour of the globe after a stay of a few weeks in Victoria and San Francisco, where His Lordship's health was greatly benefitted. The Empress' cargo though large was nothing out of the ordinary in its composition. It included a considerable quantity of flour awaiting transportation from the U. S. to China, but, locally speaking, nothing of importance. The ship's saloon cabin list is as follows: Captain Tudmore, G. Gillinghor, Lieut.-Col. Andor, Mr. Fitzite, S. Tokoki, Shokichi Kasahara, H. A. Hing, S. Mishimura, T. Oki, C. H. Evans, Lieut.-Col. Ikeda, T. Isagama, J. Terasiki, T. Saigo, H. Inonge, T. Obera, J. Oku, E F. Kilby, W. C. Hillier, Mr. and Mrs. Richards, Baron Shernberg, F. M. Vermilye, M. W. Perkins. Dr. and Mrs. Todd, Miss Sherman, Miss Holbrook, Miss Durage, Mr. Schroboer, J. L See, Julian Ralph, Miss Cottrell, Mrs. Vendepool, J. H. Bird, E. F. Eade and wife, Mrs. Evans and children, Rev. W. L. Walker and wife, Lord Randolph Churchill, wife and servants, Rev. S. C. Bartlett, jr., Mrs. Ballagh, Miss M. Burwell, J. W. Lowrie, Miss Reno, Rev. J. Miller and wife, D. J. B Busteed and wife, Mr. Keith, Miss Kerr and Miss McNabb.

THE "SIKH" HEARD FROM.

H. Connan, local agent of the Northern Pacific Steamship Company, yesterday received advices from the Orient concerning the departure of the steamship Sikh, Capt. Rowly, from Yokohama for Victoria on Saturday last. According to schedule the ship should have sailed on the 18th instant, but the week's delay is not accounted for. On this trip she has no steerage passengers, but her cargo is unusually large. It is made up of 2,850 tons of merchandise, principally tea for overlond points, inclusive of 1,000 bales of silk for New York; 550 tons for the Sound cities, and 200 tons for Victoria.

MARINE NOTES.

At daylight yesterday the steamer Barbara Boscowitz left for Northern British Columbia ports. She carried among her passengers the church of England missionaries who have been attending a meeting at Vancouver.

The American tug Discovery towed the bark Detroit into Royal Roads yesterday. The Detroit came up in ballast from Acapulco and will, it is understood, load lumber at one of the Mainland mills.

Capt. Nickels, of the ship Iroquois, now in Esquimalt, has gone to Portland on a holiday, his vessel being in the meanwhile temporarly laid up.

Steamer Maude was in port yesterday discharging a load of coal which she brought in from Nanaimo on Sunday.

ENTERED.

Str. Charmer	from	Vancouver.
" City of Kingston	"	Port Townsend.
" Rosalie	"	" "
" Walla Walla	"	" "
" Umatilla	"	San Francisco.
" Discovery	"	Port Townsend.
" Daisy	"	Nanaimo.
" Spinster	"	Sooke.
" R. P. Rithet	"	N. Westminster.
" Evangel	"	Port Angeles.
Bark Detroit	"	Acapulco.
Yacht Gracie Felitz	"	Seattle.

CLEARED.

Str. Charmer	for	Vancouver
" City of Kingston	"	Port Townsend.
" Rosalie	"	" "
" Discovery	"	" "
" Umatilla	"	" "
" Walla Walla	"	San Francisco,
" Joan	"	Nanaimo.
" Maude	"	"
" R. P. Rithet	"	N. Westminster.
" Daisy	"	Sidney,
" Evangel	"	Port Angeles
" Spinster	"	Barclay Sound.

En Route to Australia.

MONTREAL, Aug. 27 — J. N. Hogan, M.P, secretary to the Colonial party in the British House of Commons, arrived here last night by the Parisian en route for Australia.

THE CITY COUNCIL.

Consider Several Communications on the Matter of Electric Light Contracts—Fire Protection.

Water Works By-Law Passes and Will be Presented on September 11.

The City Council held its regular weekly meeting last night. His Worship the Mayor and the full aldermanic board were present.

A communication was read from Secretary Renouf, of the Agricultural Association, asking the council to assist in erecting buildings for the machinery exhibits; also to provide a cover suitable for a restaurant. Referred to the mayor and finance committee with power to act.

Mr. Thomas Shaw, for the Albion Iron Works, submitted a communication, as follows:

To His Worship the Mayor and Council:

GENTLEMEN:—My object in writing to you is to ask you the reason we could not bid on an Eastern made engine. I, myself, spoke to Mr. Teague about this, and he told me he did not want a cheap engine from the East, but that he wanted all the work to be done here, and that was the reason I did not put an Eastern made engine in my tender. If I had done so I consider that my tender would have been equally as low as any of them. We can build boilers as cheaply here as in any part of the world and equally as good. There has been a good deal of talk this winter about helping the unemployed and I think it would look far better to find our taxpayers work instead of sending it out of the country. For I am satisfied that if this matter had been left to the voice of the people we would not have been put on one side so easily. The engine that you accepted I do not consider according to the specifications, which accounts for it being so much cheaper than the one we proposed to build. Yours truly,
ALBION IRON WORKS CO.,
Per THOS. SHAW, Mgr.

HIS WORSHIP—In common with others, I have always stated that I would like to see as much of the machinery made here as possible. Laid on the table.

Messrs. Spratt & Gray wrote as follows:

To His Worship the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, City.

GENTLEMEN:—Referring to our letter of 20th instant, re specifications for electric light engines, etc., upon which we and others were asked to tender, we say that we are at a loss to understand why this letter was not read and brought up for discussion at the proper time, viz: among other communications, instead of being treated as a tender for the work, and read with, or after, the other tenders.

Your mode of treatment of our let er entirely defeated the object it was intended to serve, viz: to raise a discussion upon the merits of the said specifications, in the endeavor to have them made to allow more latitude, so that each builder of machinery would be at liberty to send in a price and specification of the style of engines as erected by himself. In this way there would have been much greater competition, the city would have got the advantage of the experience and ideas of different makers, and could have chosen that which was best adapted to its requirements

Had our letter been read at the proper time we are sure that your body would not have awarded the contract, as it did, for engines, etc., which do not comply with the specifications, without first advising us, and others, that tenders not in accordance with the specifications submitted would be considered.

We feel that an injustice has been done us, and other local firms, and trust that the matter will be looked into.

We have the honor to be
Your obedient servants,
SPRATT & GRAY.

Victoria, Aug. 27, 1891.

ALD. LEDINGHAM — The Albion Iron Works made the lowest tender on boilers. One communication was fixed so that it could not be read until the tenders were opened. In these hard times if the specifications had been framed as they should have been certainly more than two tenders would have been received. Some of them had a chance to explain, why did not others have the same chance.

HIS WORSHIP—An equal chance was given to all to come forward and say what they wished. The whole business has been done open and above board, and anyone who says different the truth is not in him.

ALD. DWYER—As far as I know everything had been done openly and fairly.

ALD STYLES—The Spratt & Gray letter was marked "tender" when it came before the council. The firm states that it was not so marked when it left them.

ALD KEITH-WILSON—I have here the letter or envelope sent in. It is marked "tender," evidently since it arrived at the city hall. This should be investigated.

ALD. HARRIS—Let us go on with business.

ALD MUNN—I have been told that if the city would pay the difference the work would be done here. When I looked into the matter I found a difference of $2,000 and went no further.

Mr. Hamilton, for the William Hamilton Company, asked if the city would pay a premium on each one-tenth of a pound of coal under the two pounds they had promised in a ten hour run. Referred to the electric light committee.

Edward Mahun sent in a letter reviewing his case in connection with the sewerage work. Referred to the sewerage committee.

Messrs. Eberts & Taylor reported that the Esquimalt Water Company injunction could not be brought on owing to their inability to get a judge to hear the case. The same difficulty had been met with in the De Cosmos case.

Chief Engineer Gray, for the Victoria & Sidney Railroad, asked to have the city sign certificates which would enable the company to settle with contractors for work done under the arrangements with city; $23 106 52 was stated as the amount due.

On motion it was resolved to hold back the entire amount until the trestle over the lake be filled in.

The chief of the fire department wrote as follows:

To His Worship the Mayor and Fire Wardens:

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to report 10 fires since the 20th inst., with the total destruction of another residence in Victoria West. Since that section became a portion of the city seven buildings have burned to the ground. The fire department cannot reach that section in time to save anything except adjacent buildings.

We have a hose cart, and I would respectfully recommend that the council purchase one horse, engage two men and rent a stable in Victoria West. Of course, this would only be a makeshift for the balance of the year, but the cost would not be great. Until the alarm system is connected with the city system a telephone might be used.

In order to give the outlying portions of the city proper protection, the fire department should necessarily be enlarged. If a start is made in one place complaints will come in from another. The ratepayers cannot afford to pay higher rates for insurance, and the only means of preventing this would be to give the eastern and western sections engine houses. The first cost would amount to $2,000 and running expenses about $6,000 yearly.

It has been our endeavor to keep down the fire loss, but Victoria West appears to be particularly unfortunate. We cannot explain why the loss of residences in that quarter appears to outnumber the whole residence district east of Douglas street, but such is the case and the only remedy is to place men in some central place with the hose cart and one horse.

I have also the honor to report that the old "Tiger" engine is in a very unsafe condition, and the breaking of the pole of the chemical engine at the last fire in Victoria West.
(Signed) THOMAS DEASY,
Chief Fire Department.

The finance committee asked for $2,138.80 and $3,652.55 to pay sundry bills. Allowed.

On Col. Prior's request that the members of the B.C B.G.A. be exempt from poll-tax, the committee reported that the matter would have to go to the legislature. Adopted.

ALD. WILSON moved that the government be informed that they can go on with the inquiry by the Royal Commission and the city will pay the bill.

A vote on Ald. Wilson's motion resulted in a tie and the Mayor voted it down, stating that in his opinion it would be a waste of money.

City Assessor Northcott reported that he had tried to see all the property owners on the Elk lake watershed. Twenty out of twenty-six owners had been seen; 1,201 acres would be required; $250 per acre was the highest price asked and $35 the lowest. The average price asked was $95 per acre.

After some further business the council adjourned.

PERSONAL.

E. M. N. and C. E. Woods are over from Vancouver.

Principal J. W. Church, of Victoria College, has returned from Cowichan.

Capt. D. B. Jackson was a passenger for San Francisco by the direct steamer Sunday.

A. L. Belyea and J. H. Brownlee were passengers from the Sound by the Rosalie Sunday morning.

William Burns, inspector of schools, has gone to Chilliwack and vicinity on an extended official tour.

C. A. Rattray has resigned the management of the Great Northern, being succeeded by Mr. C. D. Stevens.

Julian Ralph, Harper's well-known special correspondent, passed through yesterday, on his way to China and Korea.

Miss McDonald, of Comox, arrived down on the Joan Saturday, and is spending a short vacation with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McIntosh, Victoria West.

Miss A. McDonald, of the C.P.R. office at Winnipeg, and Miss A. McIlroy, of the Central school staff, Winnipeg, left for home this morning after visiting friends in Victoria and other Coast cities. Their opinion of Victoria was such as will probably induce a return visit on their next vacation.

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The Restaurant will be offered in block; if no satisfactory offer made will be sold in detail, which consists of 1 Fine Wrought Iron Range (Buck's), with Hot Water Attachments and Kitchen Utensils, Side Board, Dining Tables, Chairs, Show Cases, Linoleum, Crockery, Glassware, a quantity Self Sealers, Crocks, Lamps, and everything required pertaining to the business.
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Premier Taillon to Retire to Take a Seat on the Bench.

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